

Joseph N. Robinson

Councilman



Ward Six



Presented by
Mrs. Ernest W. Mitchell



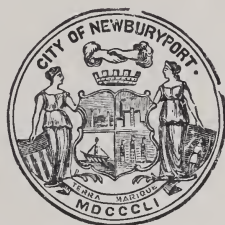
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TO THE CITY COUNCIL

FOR THE YEAR 1910

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CITY GOVERNMENT AND OFFICERS, 1910

MAYOR

HON. ROBERT E. BURKE

Residence, 49 High Street

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

President of the Board, Norman Russell

Alderman-at-Large

Charles E. Coffin.....324 Merrimac Street

Ward One

George S. Lang.....10 Barton Street

Ward Two

Laurens C. Emery.....60 Federal Street

Ward Three

David P. Page.....84½ High Street

Ward Four

Paul T. Winkley.....Parker Street

Ward Five

George C. Howard.....19 Summit Place

Ward Six

Norman Russell.....255 High Street

Clerk

Henry W. Little

COMMON COUNCIL

President of the Council, Harry E. Hewitt

Ward One

Charles L. Cook.....Bromfield Street

Edward G. Perkins.....6 Chestnut Street

Nicholas J. Waters.....24 Bromfield Street

Ward Two

Frank D. Corcoran.....2 Beck Street

Grover C. Heald.....82 Lime Street

Louis A. Thibault.....34 Federal Street

Ward Three

William Fenders.....12 Water Street

Harry E. Hewitt.....44 Middle Street

Everett E. Murphy.....123 State Street

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Ward Four

William J. Cusack.....	38 ½	Washington Street
Joseph L. Dockam.....	32	Boardman Street
Joseph E. Townsend.....	19	Boardman Street

Ward Five

Charles H. Lord.....	206	Merrimac Street
Charles H. Lowell.....	33 ½	Kent Street
Jeremiah H. Ryan.....	23	Carter Street

Ward Six

David A. Bushee.....	1	Kelley Street
Edward H. Ruggles.....	9	Ashland Court
Moses H. Williams.....	25	Ashland Street

Clerk

J. Hermann Carver

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES

Claims—Aldermen Howard (chairman), Emery; Councilmen Perkins, Ruggles, Corcoran.

Commercial Interests—Aldermen Emery (chairman), Coffin; Councilmen Bushee, Heald.

Fire Department—Aldermen Page (chairman), Emery, Winkley, Howard; Councilmen Ryan, Townsend, Cook, Corcoran, Lord.

Finance—Mayor Burke (chairman), Alderman Coffin; Councilmen Waters, Thibault, Dockam, Perkins, Williams.

Highways and Bridges—Mayor Burke (chairman), Aldermen Russell, Coffin, Howard, Winkley, Page, Lang, Emery; Councilmen Cook, Thibault, Dockam, Fenders, Ruggles, Lord.

Lighting Streets and Public Buildings—Aldermen Winkley (chairman), Coffin; Councilmen Dockam, Lowell, Perkins.

Municipal Departments—Mayor Burke (chairman), President of the Board of Aldermen Russell, President of the Common Council Hewitt.

Public Property—Mayor Burke (chairman), Aldermen Lang, Winkley, Howard; Councilmen Waters, Heald, Fenders, Cusack, Ryan, Williams.

Preservation of Trees—Mayor Burke (chairman), Aldermen Russell, Emery, Winkley; Councilmen Hewitt, Cusack, Lord.

Water Supply and Street Watering—Aldermen Lang (chairman), Page; Councilmen Corcoran, Ryan, Cusack.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Elections—Aldermen Coffin (chairman), Lang and Page.

Licenses—President Russell (chairman), Aldermen Winkley, Howard,

Police—Mayor Burke (chairman), Aldermen Howard, Page.

State Aid and Military Relief—Aldermen Coffin (chairman), Lang, Page.

Enrolled Bills—Aldermen Emery (chairman), Page, Lang.

Rules—President Russell (chairman), Alderman Lang.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

Bills in the Second Reading—Councilmen Townsend (chairman), Bushee, Murphy.

Elections and Returns—Councilmen Ruggles (chairman), Cook, Heald.

Enrolled Bills—Councilmen Murphy (chairman), Lowell, Townsend,
Rules—Councilmen Bushee (chairman), Lowell.

CITY OFFICERS

City Clerk

Henry W. Little.....48½ Purchase Street

Office: City Hall

Treasurer and Collector

H. F. Whiton.....Arlington Place

Office: City Hall

Clerk to Collector

Alice F. Currier.....78 Federal Street

Clerk of Committees

J. Hermann Carver.....9 Horton Street

City Auditor

William Balch4 Washington Street

Office: City Hall

Deputy Collector

Frank W. Goodwin.....13 Orange Street

City Messenger

Frank H. Rundlett.....11 Spring Street

Office: City Hall

Superintendent of Streets and Sewers

James H. Johnston.....17 Boardman Street

City Solicitor

Arthur Withington.....76 State Street

City Physician

Frank W. Snow, M. D.....24 Essex Street

City Marshal

John L. McLean.....35 Broad Street

Captain of the Watch

Charles W. Wells.....28½ Temple Street

Superintendent of Wires and Fire Alarm

Orrin J. Welch.....25 Olive Street

Chief of the Fire Department

Thomas Huse.....69 Prospect Street

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Fish Warden

Charles L. Perkins.....12 Bromfield Street

Permanent Fireman

Eben P. Allen11 South Pond Street

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Orrin J. Welch.....25 Olive Street

Inspector of Meats and Provisions

Timothy D. Donahoe.....156 Merrimac Street

Inspector of Animals

F. C. Blakeley.....129½ State Street

Harbor Master

Benjamin W. Stevens.....4 Madison Street

Superintendent of Highland Cemetery and Old Hill

Alfred Gurney.....7 Butler Street

Tree Warden

Charles P. Kelly.....9 Dove Street

ASSESSORS OF TAXES

Office: City Hall. Term: Three Years

George P. Sargent (chairman).....Term expires 1911

Eben C. Knight (clerk)“ “ 1912

Charles L. Perkins“ “ 1913

Meetings Saturdays of each week, 10 a. m. to 12 m.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Robert E. Burke (mayor), chairman, ex-officio

Edmund M. DowTerm expires 1913

Herbert Patten“ “ 1912

John W. Sargent“ “ 1911

William H. Bayley, clerk; George H. Twombly, superintendent almshouse;

Mrs. George H. Twombly, matron almshouse.

Meetings last Monday of each month.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Term: Three Years

Orrin J. Gurney, chairman; Edward G. Moody,, Thomas R. Healy, M. D.;

William Thurston, agent and clerk of board; Charles H. Sargent, Wil-

liam C. Adams, inspectors of plumbing

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Benjamin G. Davis, (chairman)Term expires 1911

Charles W. Johnson.....“ “ 1913

Albert W. Hopkinson“ “ 1912

Henry W. Little, clerk, ex-officio.

ATKINSON COMMON COMMISSION

Robert E. Burke (mayor), ex-officio

Norman Russell (president), ex-officio; Harry E. Hewitt (president), ex-officio

Alvah Hoyt	Term expires	1913
Leonard W. Sargent	" "	1912
Orlando F. Hatch	" "	1911

LICENSE COMMISSION

I. W. C. Webster	Term expires	1910
David P. Coffin	" "	1914

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

Robert E. Burke (mayor), ex-officio

Harry E. Hewitt (president), ex-officio; William Balch (auditor), ex-officio		
Henry B. Little	Term expires	1912
Lawrence B. Cushing	" "	1911

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

Term: Three Years

Norman Russell (president), ex-officio; Harry E. Hewitt (president), ex-officio

John W. Sargent	Term expires	1911
Orrin J. Gurney	" "	1913
Charles C. Stockman	" "	1912

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Office: 38 Inn Street

Term: Five Years

William Herbert Noyes	Term expires	1912
Charles A. Bliss	" "	1913
Edward A. Hale	" "	1914
John W. Winder	" "	1910
James H. Higgins	" "	1911

Harold S. Noyes, Secretary

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Oliver B. Merrill	Henry B. Little	John F. Young, M. D.
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TRUSTEES ATKINSON SCHOOL FUND

Joshua Hale, president; Leonard W. Sargent, treasurer and clerk; William C. Coffin.

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PUBLIC LIBRARY

Permanent Trustees Building Fund

Lawrence B. Cushing

Frederick S. Moseley

Charles W. Moseley

Directors

Robert E. Burke (mayor), ex-officio

Norman Russell (president), ex-officio; Harry E. Hewitt (president), ex-officio

William C. Coffin	Term expires	1913
George W. Brown	" "	1912
Edward G. Moody	" "	1916
Dr. Thomas R. Healy	" "	1915
Arthur P. Brown	" "	1914
James E. Fowle	" "	1910

Trustees

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen

Henry W. Little, secretary; H. F. Whiton, treasurer; John D. Parsons, librarian; Effie A. Tenney, Elizabeth S. Thurston, Helen E. Tilton, assistant librarians.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Robert E. Burke (mayor) Chairman, ex-officio
49 High Street

Samuel J. Hughes Vice Chairman
50 Washington Street

Ward One.

Horton C. Stevens 27 Bromfield Street
Arthur H. Berry 53 Bromfield Street

Ward Two

Ernest Foss 53 High Street
Prentiss H. Reed 55 Lime Street

Ward Three

Ralph S. Elliott 6 Dalton Street
Arthur P. Brown 9 Orange Street

Ward Four

Samuel J. Hughes 50 Washington Street
William F. Lunt 128 High street

Ward Five

John J. O'Brien 12 Kent Street
Rev. Arthur H. Wright 220 High Street

Ward Six

George L. Whitmore 5 Chapel Street
Edward H. Little 6 Toppan's Lane

Superintendent of Schools and Secretary

E. L. Willard Office at City Hall

Truant Officer

Joshua L. Chase Office with Superintendent

TRUSTEES OF WHEELWRIGHT SCIENTIFIC SCHOOL

Robert E. Burke (mayor), ex-officio

Lawrence B. Cushing, president

James E. Whitney, treasurer

John W. Winder, secretary

Edmund Dwight Codman

Hon. Thomas C. Simpson

MAYORS OF NEWBURYPORT

The original charter of the city was adopted by the inhabitants June 3, 1851.

The mayor is elected annually.

Hon. Caleb Cushing*	1851—1852
Hon. Henry Johnson.	1852—1853
Hon. Moses Davenport**	1854—1855—1861
Hon. William Cushing.	1856—1857—1858
Hon. Albert Currier.	1859—1860
Hon. George W. Jackman, Jr.	1861—1862—1864—1865—1877
Hon. Isaac H. Boardman.	1863
Hon. William Graves.	1866
Hon. Eben F. Stone.	1867
Hon. Nathaniel Pierce.	1868—1869
Hon. Robert Couch.	1870—1881
Hon. Elbridge G. Kelley.	1871—1872
Hon. Warren Currier.	1873—1874
Hon. Benjamin F. Atkinson.	1875—1876
Hon. Jonathan Smith.	1878
Hon. John James Currier.	1879—1880
Hon. Benjamin Hale.	1882
Hon. William A. Johnson.	1883—1884
Hon. Thomas C. Simpson.	1885
Hon. Charles C. Dame.	1886
Hon. J. Otis Winkley.	1887
Hon. William H. Huse*	1888
Hon. Albert C. Titcomb.	1888—1889
Hon. Elisha P. Dodge.	1890—1891
Hon. Orrin J. Gurney.	1892—1893—1894—1895
Hon. Andrew R. Curtis.	1896—1897
Hon. George H. Plumer.	1898
Hon. Thomas Huse.	1899—1900
Hon. Moses Brown.	1901—1902
Hon. James F. Carens.	1903—1904
Hon. William F. Houston.	1905—1906
Hon. Albert F. Hunt.	1907
Hon. Irvin Besse.	1908
Hon. Albert F. Hunt.	1909
Hon. Robert E. Burke.	1910

*Resigned. **Died in office.

CITY GOVERNMENT, 1911

MAYOR

HON. ROBERT E. BURKE

Residence, 49 High Street

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

President of the Board, Edward Bass

<i>Alderman-at-Large</i>	
Oscar H. Nelson.....	274 High street
<i>Ward One</i>	
George S. Lang.....	10 Barton Street
<i>Ward Two</i>	
Charles P. Boyle.....	70 Prospect Street
<i>Ward Three</i>	
Moody B. Noyes.....	4½ Harris Street
<i>Ward Four</i>	
Paul T. Winkley.....	Parker Street
<i>Ward Five</i>	
Edward Bass.....	7 Congress Street
<i>Ward Six</i>	
Norman Russell.....	255 High Street
<i>Clerk</i>	
Henry W. Little	

COMMON COUNCIL

President of the Council, William J. Cusack

<i>Ward One</i>	
Frederick W. Knapp.....	27 High street
Edward G. Perkins.....	6 Chestnut Street
Norman K. Tilton.....	5 Madison street
<i>Ward Two</i>	
Frank J. Carens.....	4 Milk Street
Frank D. Corcoran.....	2 Beck Stret
George P. Peckham.....	4 Horton Street

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Ward Three

William Fenders.....	12	Water Street
John H. Clark.....	16	Charter Street
George E. Moulton.....	4	Otis Place

Ward Four

William J. Cusack.....	38½	Washington Street
Robert T. Bigsby.....	23	Market Street
Joseph L. Dockam.....	32	Boardman Street

Ward Five

Joseph P. Blood.....	30	Carter Street
Charles H. Lowell.....	33½	Kent Street
Edward G. Moody.....	218	High Street

Ward Six

David A. Bushee.....	1	Kelley Street
Frank O. Frost.....	5	Collins street
Joseph N. Robinson.....	268	Merrimac Street

Clerk

J. Hermann Carver

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES

Claims—Aldermen Winkley and Lang, Councilmen Perkins, Corcoran and Peckham

Commercial Interests—Aldermen Lang and Russell, Councilmen Bushee, Peckham and Clark.

Fire Department—Aldermen Russell, Winkley, Boyle and Nelson, Councilmen Tilton, Corcoran, Clark, Blood and Frost.

Finance—Mayor Burke, ex-officio, Alderman Noyes, Councilmen Dockam, Fenders, Corcoran, Moody and Perkins.

Highways—Mayor Burke, Aldermen Lang, Boyle, Noyes, Winkley, Bass, Russell and Nelson, Councilmen Knapp, Peckham, Moulton, Bigsby, Moody and Robinson

Lighting Streets and Public Buildings—Aldermen Noyes and Nelson, Councilmen Dockam, Lowell and Perkins.

Municipal Departments—Mayor Burke, President Bass of the Board of Aldermen, President Cusack of the Common Council.

Public Property—Mayor Burke, ex-officio, Aldermen Nelson, Noyes and Boyle, Councilmen Perkins, Carens, Fenders, Dockam, Lowell and Bushee.

Preservation of Shade Trees—Mayor Burke, President Bass of the Board of Aldermen, Aldermen Noyes and Winkley, President Cusack of the Common Council, Councilmen Moody and Blood.

Water Supply and Street Watering—Aldermen Lang and Russell, Councilmen Carens, Blood and Corcoran.

JOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEES

Charter Revision—Mayor Burke, President Bass of the Board of Aldermen, Aldermen Russell and Noyes, President Cusack of the Common Council,

Councilmen Moody, Carens and Dockam; Jere Healy, Arthur P. Brown and Hon. Andrew R. Curtis.

New Schoolhouse in Ward Six—Mayor Burke, President Bass of the Board of Aldermen, Aldermen Nelson and Lang, President Cusack of the Common Council, Councilmen Dockam, Fenders and Perkins.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Elections—Aldermen Winkley, Lang and Russell.

License—Aldermen Nelson, Boyle and Noyes.

Police—Mayor Burke, Aldermen Bass and Boyle.

State Aid and Military Relief—Aldermen Boyle, Lang and Nelson.

Enrolled Bills—Aldermen Winkley and Lang.

Rules—Aldermen Nelson and Noyes.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

Bills of Second Reading—Councilmen Tilton, Peckham and Bigsby

Elections and Returns—Councilmen Bushee, Clark and Moulton.

Enrolled Bills—Councilmen Tilton, Frost and Bigsby.

Rules—Councilmen Bushee and Carens.

Ordinances—Councilmen Lowell and Fenders.

SIXTIETH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY AUDITOR

City Auditor's Office, Dec. 17, 1910.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

The undersigned herewith presents a statement of the receipts and payments of the city of Newburyport for the year beginning Dec. 18, 1909, and ending Dec. 17, 1910.

The first part of this report is devoted to an exhibit arranged upon the Schedules for Uniform Municipal accounting as issued by the Bureau of Statistics of Labor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. It will be noticed that the terms "Revenue" and "Non-Revenue" are used. "Revenue" meaning money accruing to the municipal treasury under general taxation, police powers, gifts, or services rendered. "Non-Revenue" meaning Offsets to Overlays such as permanent improvements, bond issues, money hired in anticipation of taxes, temporary accounts, etc. Following these schedules are presented detailed statements arranged in the same order, together with the usual matters given in the Auditor's report, including a schedule of the city property, a statement of the securities held by the sinking fund commissioners as sinking funds, also as trust funds.

This report should show the result of every transaction of the city in all its departments, whether Public Service, Trust Funds or General, and has done so, except in the case of certain Trust Funds, whose trustees have not yet filed with the city clerk a statement of their transactions.

But few citizens have the time or disposition to analyze a report, which necessarily is made up largely of figures, so the following analysis of the city's business for the past year is made.

As will be noted in Schedule A, the actual cash receipts for the year exceed the payments by \$15,601.25, so we end the year with that much more cash in the treasury, which, however, is merely a condition of our cash and has no bearing on the cost of running the city.

Schedule B (with transfers eliminated) shows that for operation and maintenance of the different branches, we received as revenue \$357,806.90, and paid for fixed charges \$318,591.41, making the excess of receipts over payments for the year \$39,215.49, which amount has been used in new construction, permanent improvements, reduction of debt, and cash on hand. (See classification of Payments and Receipts). In making up actual cost of maintenance and operation "Agency Transactions," such as State Tax, County Tax, etc., are eliminated.

I would further report that I have audited the accounts of the Water

Department, Sinking Fund Commissioners, Trust Fund Commissioners, Treasurer and Collector, City Clerk, City Messenger, Sealer of Weights and Measures, the cash disbursements of the Clerk of the Overseers of the Poor, and examined all bills presented, verified same, and when approved charged same to proper appropriations, signing orders on the treasurer for their payment, also have countersigned all notes and bonds, and have ascertained that issue of same was properly authorized.

The net debt of the city has been decreased in the past year \$48,555.93.

The undrawn balance of appropriated accounts for the year was \$19,595.80, from which we paid the County of Essex \$18,700, our portion of the cost of Chain Bridge, and the balance of \$895.80 was paid to the Sinking Fund Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM BALCH, City Auditor.

REPORT OF THE CITY AUDITOR

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 17, 1910

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE FISCAL YEAR

SCHEDULE A CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT.

Cash balance at beginning of the year		
General Treasury.....	\$ 7,677.52	
Library Funds.....	1,019.58	
Water Commissioners.....	1,684.04	
Total cash on hand.....		\$10,381.14
Receipts during year, transfers eliminated.....	\$608,474.26	
Payments " " " "	592,873.01	
Excess of receipts.....		15,601.25
Cash balance at end of year		
General Treasury	\$ 20,132.70	
Library Funds	702.94	
Water Commissioners.....	5,146.75	
		25,982.39

SCHEDULE B

GENERAL EXHIBIT OF THE RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE
FISCAL YEAR.

	Receipts	Payments
Revenue Accounts		
General	\$236,398.64	
Commercial	128,620.00	\$323,803.15
	365,018.64	323,803.15
Less transfers.....	7,211.74	7,211.74
Total Revenue Accounts (operating and maintenance)	357,806.90	318,591.41
Non-Revenue Accounts (bond issue, construction, etc.)	260,667.36	284,281.60
Total transactions for the year.....	\$618,474.26	\$602,873.01

ACTUAL FINANCIAL RESULT OF THE OPERATION AND MAIN-
TENANCE OF THE CITY FOR THE YEAR.

Revenue receipts, as above, from taxation and other sources, not including money borrowed.....	\$357,806.90
Revenue payments, as above, for operation and maintenance (running expenses).....	318,591.41
Excess of Revenue Receipts for the year.....	\$39,215.49
Excess of Non-Revenue Payments.....	23,614.24
Excess of receipts for the year.....	\$15,601.25

SCHEDULE C

EXHIBIT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS, REVENUE AND NON-REVENUE, GROUPED ACCORDING TO FUNCTIONS.

GENERAL AND COMMERCIAL REVENUE		Receipts	Payments
General Revenue			
Taxes.....		\$234,043.13	
Licenses, Permits and Fines		2,355.51	
Commercial Revenue			
Special Assessments		6,681.14	
Departmental			
General Government.....		945.61	\$14,339.18
Protection of Life and Property.....		579.61	38,733.76
Health and Sanitation.....		448.74	10,731.46
Highways and Bridges.....		7,318.99	43,272.14
Charities.....		1,986.83	15,429.17
Soldiers' Benefits.....		12,632.25	20,406.36
Education		2,330.63	54,140.63
Library and Reading Room		310.30	6,770.04
Recreation.....		10.00	1,593.91
Unclassified		1,832.58	2,251.83
Public Service Enterprises		56,724.13	41,458.50
Cemeteries		137.00	312.38
Interest		22,682.19	36,467.99
Municipal Indebtedness.....		14,000.00	27,000.00
Sinking Funds			12,895.80
Total of General and Commercial Revenue.....		\$365,018.64	\$325,803.15
NON-REVENUE		Receipts	Payments
Departmental			
General Government			\$ 240.86
Protection of Life and Property.....			3,628.39
Health and Sanitation.....	\$ 915.41		1,144.86
Highways and Bridges			25,266.89
Education	300.00		6,274.21
Recreation.....			505.30
Unclassified.....			462.22
Public Service Enterprises			11,802.92
Municipal Indebtedness.....	180,966.43		183,500.00
Sinking Funds	27,500.00		
Agency, Trust and Investment Transactions	50,985.52		51,455.95
Total Non-Revenue.....	\$260,667.36		\$284,281.60

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RECEIPTS.

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
General Revenue			
TAXES			
Current year.....	\$150,110.44		
Previous years.....	65,544.75		
Corporation tax from the State	12,928.51		
Street Railway tax by State (corp.)	2,663.97		
National Bank tax.....	2,795.46		
Total from taxes	\$234,043.13		\$234,043.13
LICENSES AND PERMITS			
Licenses, Amusements by city clerk.....	\$200.00		
" Auctioneers' " "	4.00		
" Business " "	338.00		
" Junk " "	193.00		
" Pool " "	60.00		
" Clam " "	70.00		
" Milk.....	56.00		
" Undertakers'	3.00		
Permits, Marriage	144.00		
Fines, Police Court.....	746.99		
Grants and Gifts, County, Dog Licenses for library	540.52		
Total from licenses, permits and fines	\$2,355.51		2,355.51
Commercial Revenue			
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS			
Street Sprinkling, 1910	\$2,351.87		
" " other years	1,208.65		
Moth Extermination, 1910.....	727.85		
" " other years.....	423.26		
Betterments	280.71		
PRIVILEGES			
Public Service, Street Railway (excise).....	1,688.80		
Total from special assessments and privileges	\$6,681.14		6,681.14
DEPARTMENTS			
General Government			
Aldermen and Council.....	\$ 14.90		
Mayor's Office			
Auditor's Department			
Treasurer and Collector, miscell's receipts	1.72		
" " fees, tax summons ..	200.85		
Assessors			
City Clerk	64.75		
Law			
City Messenger			
Election and Registration.....			
Municipal Buildings, rental of City Hall.....	649.00		
" " refund	14.39		
Total from General Government.....	\$945.61		945.61
Total forward	\$244,025.39		\$244,025.39

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PAYMENTS.

OBJECTS OF PAYMENTS	Expenses	Outlays	Total
TAXES			
LICENSES			
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS			
DEPARTMENTS			
General Government			
Aldermen and Council	\$1,164.86		
Mayor's Office, salary	1,200.00		
" " other expenses	24.85		
Auditor's Department, salary	900.00		
" " printing & other exp.	215.98		
Treasurer and Collector, salaries	2,200.09		
" " other expenses	481.62		
Assessors' Department, salaries and wages	1,950.00		
" " other expenses	372.53		
Expense of bond and note issue	102.50		
City Clerk's Department, salary	1,499.92		
" " other expenses	82.65		
Law Department, salary	493.99		
" " other expenses	118.26		
City Messenger, salary	900.00		
Election and Registration	1,527.97		
Municipal Building (City Hall)	1,098.05	\$240.86	
Total for General Government	\$14,339.18	\$240.86	\$14,580.04
Total forward	\$14,339.18	\$240.86	\$14,580.04

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RECEIPTS.

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward	\$244,025.39		\$244,025.39
Protection of Life and Property			
Police Department			
Rent of Court Room one year.....	\$ 250.00		
Refund	1.93		
Fire Department			
Miscellaneous receipts			
Use of apparatus, Newbury.....	38.50		
Refund of salary	2.50		
Fire Alarm and Wires			
Inspection			
Sealer of Weights and Measures			
Fees collected.....	154.02		
Forestry			
Moth Extermination	67.69		
Care of Trees.....	64.97		
Total from Protection of Life and Property...	\$579.61		579.61
Total forward	\$244,605.00		\$244,605.00

PAYMENTS.

OBJECTS OF PAYMENTS	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward	\$14,339.18	\$240.86	\$14,580.04
Protection of Life and Property			
Police Department			
City Marshal, salary	\$ 1,200.00		
" office expenses.....	68.32		
Salaries and wages of regular men.....	10,548.15		
" reserves	486.25		
Lighting.....	173.46		
Patrol wagon and teams	130.00		
Equipment and repairs to same	34.90		
Maintenance of police station.....	319.18		
Other expenses	149.33		
Harbor Master	117.71		
Fire Department, supervision	275.00		
Salaries and wages.....	7,957.37		
Horses and care of same.....	4,437.96	\$ 371.56	
Fuel	715.43		
Lighting.....	396.20		
Hydrant service and water	3,673.91		
New hose.....		2,166.20	
Rebuilding hook and ladder truck		607.79	
Equipment and repairs.....	1,050.60		
New equipment.....		482.84	
Maintenance of buildings	471.63		
Other expenses	264.82		
Fire Alarm and Wires			
Superintendent, salary	300.00		
Miscellaneous expenses.....	635.33		
Inspection			
Sealing of Weights and Measures			
Salary of sealer.....	700.00		
Other expenses of sealer	50.44		
Forestry			
Moth Extermination			
Salary of superintendent.....	750.00		
Superintendent for horse.....	260.00		
Wages of men	2,278.94		
Other expenses	608.50		
Care of Trees			
Salary of warden.....	150.00		
Wages of men	416.86		
Other expenses.....	113.47		
Total for Protection of Life and Property.....	\$38,733.76	\$3,628.39	42,362.15
Total forward.....	\$53,072.94	\$3,369.25	\$56,942.19

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RECEIPTS.

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Revenue for Expense	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward	\$244,605.00		\$244,605.00
Health and Sanitation			
Health			
Quarantine and contagious diseases.....			
Miscellaneous receipts.....	\$ 357.14		
Inspection			
Sanitation			
Sewers and sewage disposal	70.77		
Sewer construction		915.41	
Refuse and garbage disposal.....	20.58		
Street cleaning	.25		
Total for Health and Sanitation.....	\$448.74	\$915.41	1,364.15
Highways and Bridges			
Repairing	634.41		
Construction.....	81.70		
Sidewalks and Curbing.....	166.43		
Snow removal.....	1.00		
Miscellaneous.....	6,435.45		
City teams, earnings.....			
Total for Highways and Bridges.....	\$7,318.99		7,318.99
Total forward.....	\$252,372.73	\$ 915.41	\$253,288.14

PAYMENTS.

OBJECTS OF PAYMENTS	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward	\$53,072.94	\$3,869.25	\$56,942.19
Health and Sanitation			
Health			
Administration, clerk's salary.....	\$ 500.00		
Quarantine and contagious diseases.....	644.03		
Tuberculosis	225.02		
Other expenses	349.63		
Bacteriologist, salary	558.33		
Office expenses of bacteriologist	20.01		
Vital statistics.....	176.41		
Inspection of Plumbing	166.50		
Inspection			
Inspection of school children, salary.....	200.00		
“ animals	300.00		
“ meats & provisions, salary ..	500.00		
Milk Inspection			
Salary of milk inspector.....	249.98		
“ “ collector	200.00		
Other expenses of milk inspector.....	69.53		
New laboratory equipment of inspector...		\$ 276.98	
Sanitation			
Sewer maintenance and operation.....	258.35		
Sewer construction		867.88	
Refuse and garbage disposal	2,458.11		
Street cleaning	3,762.31		
Care of public convenience stations	93.25		
Total for Health and Sanitation	\$10,731.46	\$1,144.86	11,876.32
Highways and Bridges			
Administration, superintendent's salary	1,499.99		
Office expenses	47.55		
Repairing	7,490.29		
Construction.....		3,000.00	
Sidewalks and Curbings.....	2,146.50		
“ “ construction		582.44	
“ “ State & Pleasant sts...		984.45	
Snow removal	3,146.56		
Sprinkling	5,514.48		
Lighting	13,771.64		
Culverts and drains	1,205.70		
Bridge maintenance	1,755.70		
New road roller.....		2,000.00	
State highway tax	87.50		
Rent of sheds.....	50.00		
City teams and salaries of drivers	6,435.45		
Other expenses	120.78		
Chain Bridge.....		18,700.00	
Total for Highways and Bridges.....	\$43,272.14	\$25,266.89	68,539.03
Total forward.....	\$107,076.54	\$30,281.00	\$137,357.54

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RECEIPTS.

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Totals
Total forward	\$252,372.73	\$ 915.41	\$253,288.14
Charities			
Almshouse and City Farm			
Sale of produce.....	87.90		
Miscellaneous.....	53.00		
Refund	6.50		
Reimbursements			
From individuals.....	125.00		
" other cities and towns	1,194.00		
" the state	389.20		
Local Board of Health.....	131.23		
Total from Charities.....	\$1,986.83		1,986.83
Soldiers' Benefits			
State Aid.....	11,772.50		
Military Aid	306.50		
Soldiers' Burial.....	444.00		
Soldiers' Relief	109.25		
Total for Soldiers' Benefits	12,632.25		12,632.25
Education			
Tuition from state.....	148.00		
Other tuition.....	965.00		
Sale of books and supplies	5.63		
Miscellaneous, rent Putnam School.....	1,200.00		
Rent of hall.....	2.00		
Sale of boards	10.00		
New Carrier School Building		300.00	
Total from Education	2,330.63	300.00	2,630.63
Library and Reading Room			
Fines and sale of paper.....	10.30		
Use of library for two years (Newbury).....	300.00		
Total from Library	310.30		310.30
Total forward	\$269,632.74	\$1,215.41	\$270,848.15

PAYMENTS.

OBJECTS OF PAYMENTS	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward.....	\$107,076.54	\$30,281.00	\$137,357.54
Charities			
General administration	972.30		
Almshouse and City Farm	5,633.44		
Outside relief by city.....	4,481.61		
Relief given by other cities and towns	1,304.96		
Fuel	1,369.23		
Other expenses	692.63		
Rent of shed for outside relief	75.00		
Contributions made to hospitals	900.00		
Total for Charities	15,429.17		\$15,429.17
Soldiers' Benefits			
General administration	168.75		
State Aid.....	11,293.00		
Military Aid	348.00		
Soldiers' Burial	518.00		
Soldiers' Relief	8,078.61		
Total for Soldiers' Benefits	20,406.36		20,406.36
Education			
Superintendent's salary	1,700.00		
Office expenses	78.76		
Truant officer's salaries.....	767.50		
Salaries of teachers ..	36,017.04		
“ janitors	3,224.50		
Textbooks and supplies	4,347.21		
Transportation	157.76		
Support of truants.....	26.00		
Other expenses	238.66		
Fuel	2,959.15		
Lighting.....	164.50		
Furniture and furnishings		407.36	
Repairs on buildings.....	4,459.55	737.88	
New Currier School building.....		5,128.97	
Total for Education.....	\$54,140.63	\$6,274.21	\$60,414.84
Library and Reading Room			
Supervision and Salaries.....	3,253.85		
Janitors' services.....	460.04		
Fuel	207.02		
Lighting.....	364.05		
Books and binding	2,274.23		
Other expenses ..	210.85		
Total for Library and Reading Room.....	6,770.04		6,770.04
Total forward	\$203,822.74	\$36,555.21	\$240,377.95

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RECEIPTS.

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS	Revenue for Expenses	Offsets to Outlays	Total
Total forward	\$269,632.74	\$1,215.41	\$270,848.15
Recreation			
City Parks	\$ 10.00		
Total from Recreation	10.00		10.00
Unclassified			
Embezzlement account	1,652.58		
Other city properties, cement sold	180.00		
Total from Unclassified	\$1,832.58		1,832.58
Public Service Enterprises			
Water Works, income from sale of water.....	53,337.53		
Miscellaneous	3,386.60		
Total from Public Service Enterprises.....	\$56,724.13		\$56,724.13
Cemeteries			
Sale of lots	137.00		
Total from Cemeteries.....	\$137.00		\$ 137.00
INTEREST			
On Deposits.....	\$1,210.50		
On Deferred Taxes and assessments	3,947.23		
On Trust Funds for Schools.....	600.00		
“ “ for Library	3,032.59		
Trees, Sidewalks and Street Sprinkling.....	1,312.50		
Miscellaneous, anticip'd payment of note	4.37		
Water Works.....	12,575.00		
Total from Interest.....	\$22,682.19		\$22,682.19
MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS			
Loans in anticipation of taxes.....		150,000.00	
“ for General Purposes		30,000.00	
“ Currier School.....	14,000.00	966.43	
Water Loan, from Water Commissioners			
Premiums, interest and discount			
Total from Municipal Indebtedness..	14,000.00	\$180,966.43	194,966.43
Total forward.....	\$365,018.64	\$182,181.84	\$547,200.48

PAYMENTS.

OBJECTS OF PAYMENTS	Expenses	Outlays	Total
Total forward	\$203,822.74	\$36,555.21	\$240,377.95
Recreation			
City Parks			
Salaries and wages.....	284.75		
Other expenses	175.09		
Atkinson Common			
Salaries and wages.....	353.62		
Other expenses	155.63		
Playgrounds			
Salaries and wages.....		505.30	
Improvements and additions.....			
Other expenses	210.82		
Celebrations			
Memorial Day.....	300.00		
Firemen's Memorial Sunday.....	75.00		
Ringing bells	39.00		
Total for Recreation	\$1,593.91	\$505.30	\$2,099.21
Unclassified			
City Clocks	75.00		
Water for Public Buildings	1,500.00		
Other city properties.....	563.50		
Goodwin's Landing, new construction.....		462.22	
Payments on account of defalcation.....	113.33		
Total for Unclassified.....	\$2,251.83	462.22	2,714.05
Public Service Enterprises			
Water Works			
Maintenance and operation.....	14,883.50	11,802.92	
Construction.....			
To city for bonds and interest.....	26,575.00		
Total for Public Service Enterprises	\$41,458.50	\$11,802.92	53,261.42
Cemeteries			
Maintenance	312.38		
Total for Cemeteries.....	312.38		312.38
INTEREST			
On temporary loans	3,194.24		
" loans for general purposes.....	19,131.25		
" trust funds used	1,690.00		
" loans for public service enterprises.....	12,452.50		
Total for Interest.....	\$36,467.99		36,467.99
MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS			
Loans in anticipation of taxes.....		\$156,000.00	
Bonds, water from earnings	14,000.00		
Bridge, from taxation	7,000.00		
Refunding, from taxation (Overdraft.....	2,000.00		
" " " (Trust fund).....	4,000.00		
Schoolhouse		27,500.00	
Total for Municipal Indebtedness.....	27,000.00	183,500.00	210,500.00
Total forward	\$312,907.35	\$232,825.65	\$545,733.00

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RECEIPTS.

SOURCES OF RECEIPTS		Temporary Accounts	Total
Total forward	\$365,018.64	\$182,181.84	\$547,200.48
SINKING FUNDS			
From Comm'ers, to meet loan for Schoolh'se		27,500.00	
Total from Sinking Funds		\$27,500.00	27,500.00
AGENCY TRANSACTIONS			
Taxes			
State.....		18,920.00	
Non-resident bank		3,611.01	
County		18,360.01	
" for Dog Officer		93.00	
Uncalled for Claims.....		1.50	
Trust Fund, Estate of Helen B. Fowler.....		10,000.00	
Total from Agency Transactions.....		\$50,985.52	50,985.52
TRANSFERS			
Departmental			
City Teams, etc., from various departments...		6,435.45	
St. Sp'kl'g Com. from City Hall.....		8.10	
" " " City Parks.....		68.82	
" " " Police Station		1.93	
" " " Atkinson Common		6.02	
" " " Fire Engine Buildings ..		6.45	
" " " School Buildings.....		25.05	
" " " Other city properties ...		4.23	
" " " Street Sprinkling		187.47	
High'y Dept. Repairs, from Sewer Construc'n ..		30.00	
" " " Fire Eng. houses ..		1.50	
" " " Culverts.....		31.42	
" " " Sidewalks & Curb		117.00	
" " " Sewer mainten'ce		6.50	
Refuse Disposal, from Public Library		16.00	
Other City Prop's, from Sidewalks & Curbing ..		90.00	
" " " Highway Repairs		90.00	
Moth Extermination, from Atkinson Com'n..		3.79	
" " " other city prop's..		10.01	
Sidewalks and Curbing, from State & Pleasant ..			
Street Walk.....		74.00	
Total Transfers.....		\$7,211.74	7,211.74
Total Receipts	\$365,018.64	\$267,879.10	\$632,897.74
CASH BALANCES			
General Treasury		7,677.52	
Library Funds.....		1,019.58	
Water Commissioners.....		1,684.04	
Total cash on hand at beginning of year...		\$10,381.14	10,381.14
TOTAL RECEIPTS AND CASH ON HAND			\$643,278.88

PAYMENTS.

OBJECTS OF PAYMENTS	Expenses	Temporary Accounts	Total
Total forward	\$312,907.35	\$232,825.65	\$545,733.00
SINKING FUNDS			
To Commissioners for debt requirements			
From Revenue		12,000.00	
" " unexpended balance.....		895.80	
Total for Sinking Funds.....		\$12,895.80	12,895.80
AGENCY TRANSACTIONS			
Taxes			
State		18,920.00	
Non-resident bank.....		3,704.25	
County		18,360.01	
" for Dog Officer		93.00	
Return of protested taxes.....		375.94	
Uncalled for Claims, paid		2.75	
Trust Fund, Estate of Helen B. Fowler		10,000.00	
Total for Agency Transactions		\$51,455.95	51,455.95
TRANSFERS			
Departmental			
Various Depts. to City Teams, etc.....		6,435.45	
" " " St. Sprinkling Commitm't..		306.07	
" " " Highway Repairs.....		186.42	
Public Library to Refuse Disposal.....		16.00	
Sidewalks and Curbing to Other city prop's..		90.00	
Highway Repairs to Other city properties.....		90.00	
Atkinson Common to Moth Extermination...		3.79	
Other city properties to " "		10.01	
State and Pleasant Street Walk to Sidewalks		74.00	
and Curbing			
Total Transfers.....		\$7,211.74	7,211.74
Total Payments.....	\$312,907.35	\$304,389.14	\$617,296.49
CASH BALANCES			
General Treasury		20,132.70	
Library Funds		702.94	
Water Commissioners.....		5,146.75	
Total cash on hand end of year.....		25,982.39	25,982.39
TOTAL PAYMENTS AND CASH ON HAND			\$643,278.88

REVENUE ACCOUNTS

TAXES

TAX OF 1910

DR.

For city purposes	\$172,100.00
Debt requirements	53,000.00
State tax	18,920.00
County tax	18,360.01
State highway tax	87.50
Judgment in favor of trustees of E. P. Dodge Co (1907 tax) ..	375.94
Overlay	12,396.54
Reassessments	102.37
Omitted assessments	205.50
Total levy	<u>\$275,547.86</u>

CR.

Tax collected for city	\$150,110.44
Tax collected for state	18,920.00
Tax collected for county	18,360.01
Tax abated during year	<u>14,996.22</u>
	202,386.67
Uncollected	<u>\$73,161.19</u>

TAX OF 1909

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year	\$56,650.88
Omitted assessments	14,006.24
Reassessments	118.80
	<u>\$70,775.92</u>

CR.

Tax collected during year	\$39,648.46
Tax abated during year	<u>991.48</u>
	40,639.94
Uncollected	<u>\$30,135.98</u>

TAX OF 1908

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year	\$36,493.87
Reassessments	8.48
..	<u>\$36,502.35</u>

CR.

Taxes collected during year	\$24,416.88
Taxes abated during year	<u>322.64</u>
	24,739.52
Uncollected	<u>\$11,762.83</u>

Taxes—continued

TAX OF 1907

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$3,895.92
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CR.

Tax collected during year.....	\$1,081.86	
Tax abated during year.....	115.12	
		1,196.98
Uncollected		\$2,698.94

TAX OF 1906

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$2,899.21
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CR.

Taxes collected during year.....	\$351.55	
Taxes abated during year.....	371.00	
		722.55
Uncollected		\$2,176.66

TAX OF 1905

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$2,191.92
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CR.

Taxes collected during year.....	46.00	
Uncollected		\$2,145.92

TAX OF 1904

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$0.50
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CR.

Taxes abated during year.....	.50
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STREET RAILWAY EXCISE TAX

RECEIPTS

Citizens Street Railway Co.....	\$1,056.24
Haverhill & Southern N. H. Street Railway Co.....	124.78
Boston & Northern Street Railway Co.....	507.78
Balance to income account	\$1,688.80

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Taxes—continued

CORPORATION TAX

RECEIPTS

Street Railways from state.....	\$2,663.97
Public service from state.....	8,098.97
All others from state.....	4,933.38
	\$15,696.32

PAYMENTS

To the state	103.84
Balance to income account.....	\$15,592.48

NATIONAL BANK TAX

RECEIPTS

Stock held locally, in banks outside city.....	\$2,795.46
Stock of local banks, held by non-residents.....	3,611.01
	\$6,406.47

PAYMENTS

Paid to state for non-resident stock.....	3,704.25
Balance to income account.....	\$2,702.22

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

STREET SPRINKLING FOR 1910

DR.

Assessment on abutters	\$3,166.57
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	\$2,351.87
Amount abated during year.....	4.73
	2,356.60
Uncollected	\$809.97

STREET SPRINKLING FOR 1909

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$1,276.98
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	\$659.17
Amount abated during year	17.18
	676.35
Uncollected	\$600.63

Special Assessments—continued

STREET SPRINKLING FOR 1908

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$584.76
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	\$549.48	
Amount abated during year	32.88	
		582.36
Uncollected		\$2.40

STREET SPRINKLING FOR 1907

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$1.92
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	0.00
Uncollected	\$1.92

ASSESSMENT FOR MOTH EXTERMINATION, 1910

DR.

Assessment for work done.....	\$1,304.11
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	727.85
Uncollected	\$576.26

ASSESSMENT FOR MOTH EXTERMINATION, 1909

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$710.69
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	\$267.48	
Amount abated during year.....	1.98	
		269.46
Uncollected		\$441.23

ASSESSMENT FOR MOTH EXTERMINATION, 1908

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$199.33
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	\$150.23	
Amount abated during year.....	4.00	
		154.23
Uncollected		\$45.10

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Special Assessments—continued

ASSESSMENT FOR MOTH EXTERMINATION, 1907

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$5.55
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	5.55
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BETTERMENTS

DR.

Uncollected balance from previous year.....	\$1,228.19
Additional assessments made by board of aldermen.....	476.89

	\$1,705.08
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CR.

Amount collected during year.....	280.71
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Uncollected	\$1,424.37
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GENERAL GOVERNMENT

ALDERMEN AND COUNCIL

Appropriation \$3,000.00

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Sale of old books.....	\$6.10	
Auto licenses	2.00	
Refund for advertising hearing from Citizens Ry. Co	5.00	
Voucher check No. 247 not cashed, refund.....	1.80	
	14.90	
		\$3,014.90

PAYMENTS

Salary of clerk of common council.....	\$500.00	
Express on books	1.65	
Postoffice box rent.....	3.00	
Safe deposit box for sinking funds.....	5.00	
Postage	7.30	
Record book and stationery.....	13.25	
Traveling expenses of committee attending hearings	49.89	
Posting bills for civil service.....	3.00	
Labor of men at forest fires.....	9.80	
Floral tribute	12.00	
Telephone rental	9.19	
Use of tables and chairs at inaugural.....	5.00	
Printing and advertising.....	76.25	
Printing public documents.....	469.53	
Ringing bells for celebrations.....	39.00	
Transferred to other departments.....	1,700.00	
	2,903.86	
		\$111.04
Balance to general treasury		\$111.04

MAYOR'S OFFICE

Appropriation \$1,300.00

PAYMENTS

Salary of mayor.....	\$1,200.00	
Telephone rental	17.60	
Stationery	5.25	
Stamps	2.00	
	1,224.85	
		\$75.15
Balance to general treasury		\$75.15

General Government—continued

AUDITOR'S DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$1,200.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Refund	4.00
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	<u>\$1,204.00</u>
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PAYMENTS

Salary of auditor	\$900.00
Expressage on books	4.88
Office supplies	8.23
Printing reports	39.50
Stationery and books	16.80
Rubber stamps for departments	24.57
Postage	2.00
Telephone rental	1.00
Cloth files and indexes	24.00
Smith Premier typewriter	99.00

	<u>1,119.98</u>
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Balance to general treasury	\$84.02
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TREASURER AND COLLECTOR'S DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$2,500.00
Transferred to this department	200.00

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Sale of stamps, elections	\$.47
Sale of stamps, city clerk	1.25

	<u>1.72</u>
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REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT	\$2,701.72
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Fees, tax summonses	\$200.85
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PAYMENTS

Salary of treasurer and collector	\$1,700.00
Salary of treasurer's assistant	500.00
Telephone rental	22.30
Postage	39.30
Stationery and books	153.47
Printing warrants and summonses	25.05
Distributing tax bills	50.00
Directory	2.00
Premium on bond of treasurer	150.00
Express	1.35
Office supplies	19.25
Rubber stamps	1.96
Redemption of tax title and recording	12.09
Typewriter supplies	2.00
Affidavit	2.85

	<u>2,681.62</u>
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Balance to general treasury	\$20.10
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General Government—continued

ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$1,900.00
Transferred to this department.....	450.00

 \$2,350.00

PAYMENTS

Salaries of assessors.....	\$1,500.00
Assessors for writing valuation books.....	450.00
Postage and expressage.....	3.75
Stationery and office supplies.....	33.48
Tax tables and blanks.....	7.05
Banker and Tradesman.....	5.00
Directory	2.00
Rubber stamp and canvas files.....	21.15
Printing, advertising and book.....	180.97
Horse hire	12.00
Typewriting warrants	2.00
Telephone rental	15.01
Services of interpreter	3.00
Expense of attending meeting on taxation.....	1.50
Examination of titles	85.62
	2,322.53
Balance to general treasury.....	\$27.47

EXPENSE OF BOND AND NOTE ISSUE

Appropriation	\$300.00
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PAYMENTS

Expense to Boston, City Trust Co., on certification and issue of notes.....	\$2.50
Preparation and certification of notes, legal ser- vices and advertising.....	100.00
	102.50
Balance to general treasury.....	\$197.50

General Government—continued

CITY CLERK'S DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$1,700.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

City treasurer, asle of pencils	2.00
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\$1,702.00

REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT

Licenses, amusements	\$200.00
Licenses, auctioneers	4.00
Licenses, (business) pawnbroker	150.00
Licenses, (business) job wagon	3.00
Licenses, (business) common victualers	185.00
Licenses, junk	193.00
Licenses, pool	60.00
Licenses, clam	70.00
Permits, marriage	144.00
Sale of burial lots	137.00
Recording	57.90
Miscellaneous receipts	4.85

\$1,208.75

PAYMENTS

Salary of city clerk	\$1,499.92
Office supplies	14.08
Books, cards and rubber stamps	10.25
Postage	12.87
Directories	8.00
Telephone rental	13.45
Premium on city clerk's bond	24.00

1,582.57

Balance to general treasury	\$119.43
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LAW DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$700.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of city solicitor	\$499.99
Telephone rental	23.08
Printing tax notices and postage	3.25
Services of stenographer	29.75
Entry fees and services at hearings	21.43
Traveling expenses attending hearings	40.75

618.25

Balance to general treasury	\$81.75
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General Government—continued

CITY MESSENGER

Appropriation	\$900.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of city messenger.....	\$900.00
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ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Appropriation	\$1,750.00
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PAYMENTS

Salaries of board of registrars.....	\$400.00	
Ward officers	680.00	
Janitors' services	24.00	
Board of registrars, recount.....	30.00	
Expressage, books and stationery.....	17.05	
Oak case and guides.....	12.25	
Fees, disputed registration.....	1.88	
Stenographer's services, disputed registration.....	5.50	
Ringin bells	1.00	
Repairing and cleaning booths.....	31.42	
Posting ballots	12.50	
Pasting election boards.....	1.25	
Delivering ballot boxes.....	9.50	
Horses for services in connection with election.....	6.00	
Advertising elections	120.00	
Printing check lists, blanks and ballots.....	141.00	
Postage	.47	
Dinners of election officers.....	32.50	
Oil, chimneys and incidentals.....	1.65	
		<u>1,527.97</u>
Balance to general treasury.....		\$222.03

CITY HALL

Appropriation	\$1,500.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Refund on electrical work.....	14.39
	<u>\$1,514.39</u>

REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT

Rent of city hall.....	\$649.00
Amount carried forward.....	<u>\$1,514.39</u>

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CITY HALL—continued

Amount brought forward..... \$1,514.39

PAYMENTS

Repairs on roof	\$4.53	
Repairs on sofa and chair.....	20.50	
Repairs on conductor	7.24	
Repairs on boiler and inspection.....	21.92	
Repairs on plumbing	105.92	
Repairs on windows and screens.....	34.84	
Repairs on stair rail.....	9.25	
Repairs on gas piping.....	10.66	
Keys	.65	
Painting dressing rooms and doors.....	84.60	
Repairs and furnishings, treasurer's office.....	45.71	
Repairs and furnishings, sealer of weights and measures' office	34.54	
Repairs and furnishings, auditor's office.....	88.31	
Expressage	.99	
Janitor's supplies	22.55	
Wages of stage carpenter.....	85.88	
Lighting, gas	185.36	
Lighting, electricity	59.10	
Fuel	269.40	
New electric wiring and lights.....	240.86	
Street sprinkling	6.10	
		1,338.91
Balance to general treasury.....		
		\$175.48

PROTECTION OF LIFE AND PROPERTY

POLICE DEPARTMENT

SUPERVISION

Appropriation \$1,300.00

PAYMENTS

Salary of city marshal.....	\$1,200.00	
Telephone rental	66.82	
Stationery	1.50	
	1,268.32	

Balance to general treasury \$31.68

SALARIES AND WAGES

Appropriation \$12,300.00

PAYMENTS

Salaries of regular men.....	\$10,548.15	
Payments to reserve officers.....	486.25	
Transferred to other departments.....	1,100.00	
	12,134.40	

Balance to general treasury \$165.60

LIGHTING

Appropriation \$250.00

PAYMENTS

Newburyport Gas & Electric Co.....	173.46	
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Balance to general treasury..... \$76.54

REPAIRS ON BUILDINGS

Appropriation	\$450.00	
Refund on street sprinkling.....	1.93	

\$451.93

REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT

Fines collected	\$746.99	
Rent of court room, one year.....	250.00	

996.99

PAYMENTS

Repairing ceiling	\$12.81	
Repairing chair	.60	
Repairing awning	3.80	
Repairing door	8.00	
Plumbing	12.90	
Disinfectant	14.25	
Filter	.50	
Electrical supplies	1.50	
Wages of janitor	262.89	
Street sprinkling	1.93	

319.18

Balance to general treasury..... \$132.75

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Protection of Life and Property—continued

POLICE DEPARTMENT—continued

OTHER EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$450.00
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PAYMENTS

Equipment batteries and lights.....	\$34.90	
Patrol wagon and teams	130.00	
Ice at sation	9.50	
Newspapers at station	11.20	
Services of interpreter	5.00	
Marshal's bond	3.00	
Photograph of fire	2.00	
Assistance by Haverhill officers.....	5.00	
Medicine	6.25	
Advertising	14.50	
Directory	2.00	
Washing towels	12.00	
Janitor's supplies	10.63	
Stationery and office supplies	17.78	
Traveling expenses of officers.....	50.47	
		314.23
Balance to general treasury.....		\$135.77

HARBOR MASTER

Appropriation	\$125.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of harbor master.....	\$100.00	
Stationery and postage.....	17.71	
		117.71
Balance to general treasury.....		\$7.29

FIRE DEPARTMENT

SUPERVISION

Appropriation	\$300.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of chief engineer.....	275.00	
Balance to general treasury		\$25.00

Protection of Life and Property—continued

FIRE DEPARTMENT—continued

SALARIES AND WAGES.

Appropriation	\$8,000.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Refund	2.50
	\$8,002.50

PAYMENTS

Assistant engineers	\$225.00	
Clerk of board	15.00	
Captains	60.00	
Mechanical engineers	480.00	
Assistant mechanical engineers	60.00	
Stokers	240.00	
Stewards	220.04	
Engine Co. 1	840.00	
Engine Co. 2	900.00	
Engine Co. 3	900.00	
Hose 7	600.00	
Hose 8	600.00	
Hook and Latter	900.00	
Permanent men	1,637.60	
Substitute men	48.85	
Extra service at fires	76.63	
Extra service at engine houses	122.75	
Extra service washing and rolling hose	31.50	
		7,957.37
Balance to general treasury		\$45.13

HORSES AND CARE OF SAME

Appropriation	\$3,000.00
From general treasury to balance	1,809.52
	\$4,809.52

PAYMENTS

Horses hired for hook and ladder	\$1,398.00
Horses hired for supply wagon	67.50
Extra horses hired at engine houses	145.50
Hauling hose	69.14
Chief engineer's horse allowance	99.96
New horse, purchased	325.00
Expenses, buying new horses	46.56
Shoeing horse for Hose 1	23.91
Horses hired for Hose 7	108.50
Horses hired for Hose 8	117.50
Repairs to harness and equipment	32.75
Portion of maintenance of city teams	2,375.20
	\$4,809.52

Protection of Life and Property—continued

FIRE DEPARTMENT—continued

FUEL

Appropriation	\$700.00
From general treasury to balance.....	15.43

PAYMENTS

Coal	\$663.34	
Charcoal	50.09	
Wood	2.00	
		<u>\$715.43</u>

LIGHTING

Appropriation	\$400.00
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PAYMENTS

Newburyport Gas & Electric Co.....	396.20
Balance to general treasury	<u>\$3.80</u>

HYDRANT SERVICE AND WATER

Appropriation	\$5,000.00
From general treasury to balance.....	173.91

PAYMENTS

Water for fire purposes.....	\$3,500.00	
Water for public buildings	1,500.00	
Removing snow and ice from hydrants and reservoirs	173.91	
		<u>\$5,173.91</u>

NEW HOSE.

Appropriation	\$1,200.00
Transferred to this department.....	1,000.00

PAYMENTS

Boston Belting Co., 1450 feet.....	\$1,000.00	
Boston Belting Co., 1700 feet.....	1,166.20	
		<u>2,166.20</u>
Balance to general treasury		<u>\$33.80</u>

HOOK AND LADDER TRUCK

Appropriation	\$2,000.00
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PAYMENTS

Rebuilding truck (Kress & Son).....	\$607.00	
Carpenter work	.79	
Transferred to other departments.....	1,000.00	
		<u>1,607.79</u>
Balance to general treasury.....		<u>\$392.21</u>

Protection of Life and Property—continued

FIRE DEPARTMENT—continued

EQUIPMENT AND REPAIR

Appropriation	\$1,300.00
Transferred to this department.....	250.00
	\$1,550.00

PAYMENTS

Repairs on steamers.....	\$379.96
Repairs on hose wagons.....	9.75
Repairs on hook and ladder.....	15.35
Repairs on hose.....	7.80
Express on equipment.....	5.60
State inspection of steamers.....	28.00
Fuel for steamers.....	134.00
Heater for Steamer 1.....	394.34
Batteries, lamps and wiring for equipment.....	39.12
Chemicals and supplies for same	33.36
Four shut off nozzels.....	58.50
Three siamese couplings.....	30.00
Metal polish	9.00
Repairing harnesses	13.60
Play pipes	20.40
Hydrant gates	32.00
Carpenter work at Central station.....	11.64
Oil for department	43.50
Insurance on steamer.....	56.00
Badges	51.60
Lanterns, globes and wicks.....	23.34
Repairing pungs	41.75
Brooms	8.70
Small hose	17.35
Printing and advertising.....	6.75
Rent of hose building, Ward 6.....	3.00
Expenses of comittee.....	5.00
4½-inch suction, baskets and rubber.....	15.40
Chief Cutter, services at inspections.....	3.00
Sponges, brushes and nails.....	5.43
Teaming ladder to and from Lawrence.....	12.00
Nozzle tip	1.50
Crow bar, boxes and hardware.....	8.20
Rubber tires	4.00
Duster for Central station.....	3.50
Services of stenographer.....	1.00
	1,533.44
Balance to general treasury	
	\$16.56

Protection of Life and Property—continued

FIRE DEPARTMENT—continued

REPAIRS ON BUILDINGS

Appropriation	\$600.00
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PAYMENTS

Screens	\$8.41	
Painting and setting glass	112.49	
Repairs to heater and piping	60.37	
Hardware	15.88	
Repairs to plumbing	42.35	
Labor on awning	.50	
Janitor's supplies	11.35	
Inspection of boilers	7.00	
Repairing clock	3.90	
Repairs to lighting and mantles	15.55	
Carpenter work	131.65	
Bedding	23.10	
Window shade	1.00	
Cement and labor	12.50	
Flag	4.13	
Storage of apparatus	15.00	
Street sprinkling	6.45	
		471.63
Balance to general treasury		\$128.37

OTHER EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$200.00
Transferred to this department	300.00
	500.00

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Use of apparatus (Newbury)	38.50
	\$538.50

PAYMENTS

Express and labor	\$2.45	
Books and stationery	10.01	
Repairs to truck	3.00	
Repairs to collar	1.00	
Electrical supplies	36.23	
Traveling expenses of committee	5.44	
Miscellaneous supplies	18.30	
Washing towels	11.00	
Telephone rental	148.39	
Services of time clock	9.00	
Labor on reservoirs	4.00	
Barn for storage	11.00	
Refund to Newbury	5.00	
		264.82
Balance to general treasury		\$273.68

Protection of Life and Property—continued

FIRE ALARM AND WIRES

SUPERVISION

Appropriation	\$300.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of superintendent	300.00
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OTHER EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$500.00
Transferred to this department	200.00

PAYMENTS

	\$700.00
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Furnishing steam for alarm	\$300.00	
Labor on wires	97.05	
Express on equipment	3.43	
Electrical supplies	17.00	
Repairs to boxes	56.86	
Carpenter work	17.48	
Carriage hire	23.50	
Repairs on gong	39.92	
New battery elements and tapper	62.21	
Hardware	.42	
Telephone	17.46	
		635.33

Balance to general terasury	\$64.67
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SEALING OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation	\$725.00
Transferred to this department	50.00

	\$775.00
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REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT

Fees	\$154.02
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PAYMENTS

Salary of sealer	\$700.00	
Express	1.00	
Weights and measures	20.34	
Seals	3.60	
Sealing block and anvil	5.40	
Office equipment	3.82	
Books and sattionery	6.28	
Advertising	6.00	
Directory	2.00	
Expense to Boston	2.00	
		750.44

Balance to general treasury	\$24.56
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Protection of Life and Property—continued

FORESTRY

MOTH EXTERMINATION

Appropriation	\$2,850.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Services rendered by department.....	\$67.69	
Commitment for 1910	1,304.11	
		1,371.80
		\$4,221.80

PAYMENTS

Salary of superintendent	\$750.00	
Superintendent, for his horse	260.00	
Creosote and arsenic of lead	285.17	
Repairs to spraying machine	14.10	
Repairs to ladder and saws	9.50	
Expressage	2.47	
Poles, axes and electric supplies	4.75	
Lumber, paint and cement	5.37	
Hose	47.80	
Tree oil	6.39	
Gasolene	6.50	
Hardware	18.15	
Advertising	1.25	
Vise	4.75	
Miscellaneous equipment	45.72	
Storage of equipment	15.00	
Dinners of inspectors	3.75	
New pumps	35.30	
Stationery	10.38	
Writing commitment	50.00	
Climbers and pruners	39.15	
Horse hire	3.00	
Labor, as per pay rolls	2,278.94	
		3,897.44
Balance to general treasury.....		\$324.36

Protection of Life and Property—continued

FORESTRY—continued

TREE WARDEN AND CARE OF TREES

Appropriation	\$500.00
Income from Bromfield fund	206.25
	\$706.25

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Services rendered by department	64.97
	\$771.22

PAYMENTS

Salary of warden	\$150.00
Wire	17.00
Telephone rental	8.43
Danger signs	5.80
Lumber	11.15
Maple trees	12.30
Hardware	4.50
Stationery and books	32.60
Miscellaneous equipment	7.49
Car fare of superintendent.....	3.30
Filing saws	2.65
Advertising	8.25
Labor as per pay rolls	416.86
	680.33
Balance to general treasury.....	\$90.89

HEALTH AND SANITATION

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Appropriation	\$500.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of clerk.....	500.00
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OTHER EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$1,500.00
Tranferred to this department.....	100.00

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Undertakers' licenses	\$3.00	
From state for contagious diseases.....	240.00	
From other cities and towns	117.14	
		<u>360.14</u>

PAYMENTS

	<u>\$1,960.14</u>
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QUARANTINE AND CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

Other cities and towns	\$217.14	
Hospital expenses	150.00	
Nurses and medicine	19.65	
Disinfectant and antitoxine	114.49	
Fuel for patients	4.00	
Cards and expressage.....	9.75	
Quarantined persons	90.00	
Burial expenses	36.00	
Destroying bedding	3.00	
		<u>\$644.03</u>

TUBERCULOSIS

Patients at sanitariums	\$79.64	
Drinking tubes and sputum boxes.....	23.80	
Medicine and groceries	72.73	
Cards and notifications.....	9.50	
Burial of tubercular patients.....	29.85	
Destroying bedding	1.50	
Car fare of patients	8.00	
		<u>225.02</u>

OTHER EXPENSES

Salary of bacteriologist	\$558.33	
Expressage	7.32	
Gas	4.68	
Gas stove and fixtures	8.22	
Culture media	1.50	
Burying animals	78.00	
Painting and lettering signs.....	4.50	
Horse hire for clerk.....	92.00	
Box rent and postage.....	11.25	
Books and stationery	33.97	
Advertising	66.25	
Plumbers' applications	4.00	
Cleaning vaults	19.25	
Telephone rental	38.70	
		<u>927.97</u>
		<u>\$1,797.02</u>

Balance to general treasury.....	\$163.12
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Health and Sanitation—continued

VITAL STATISTICS

Appropriation	\$300.00
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PAYMENTS

Death returns	\$71.50
Birth returns	99.25
Express	.20
Postage	2.46
Birth return book	3.00
	176.41

Balance to general treasury.....	\$123.59
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INSPECTION OF PLUMBING

Appropriation	\$250.00
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PAYMENTS

Inspections	166.50
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Balance to general treasury.....	\$83.50
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INSPECTION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

Appropriation	\$200.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of school physician	\$200.00
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INSPECTION OF ANIMALS

Appropriation	\$300.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of inspector	\$300.00
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INSPECTION OF MILK AND VINEGAR

Appropriation	\$700.00
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Transferred to this department.....	125.00
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\$825.00

REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT

Milk licenses	\$56.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of inspector	\$249.98
Salary of collector	200.00
Gas and electricity	9.98
Culture media	4.50
Postage and envelopes	1.50
Printing licenses and tags.....	53.55
New laboratory equipment	276.98
	796.49

Balance to general treasury.....	\$28.51
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Health and Sanitation—continued

INSPECTION OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS

Appropriation	\$500.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of inspector	\$500.00
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SEWER MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	\$400.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Services, cleaning sewers	\$46.93	
Sale of material	23.84	
		<u>70.77</u>
		\$470.77

PAYMENTS

Repairing sewer iron	\$.45	
Clean out iron	1.50	
Cement	7.65	
Shovels	.65	
Express	.50	
Mason	2.95	
Bricks	.70	
Services of city teams	81.45	
Labor as per pay rolls	162.50	
		<u>258.35</u>
Balance to general treasury		\$212.42

SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Balance, December 18, 1909	\$1,385.52
Amount collected for connections	915.41

	<u>\$2,300.93</u>
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PAYMENTS

Cement	\$67.81	
Pipe	143.32	
Pine and mill work	4.21	
Express	1.87	
Shovels	10.90	
Oil	9.88	
Twine	1.49	
Hose	12.00	
Services of mason	8.45	
Hardware	12.31	
Services of city teams	43.00	
Labor as per pay rolls	552.64	
		<u>867.88</u>
Balance		\$1,433.05

ASHES AND RUBBISH

Appropriation	\$2,700.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Sale of old paper	\$4.58	
Removing ashes from public library	16.00	
		<u>20.58</u>
		\$2,720.58

PAYMENTS

Forks	\$1.60	
Extra teams	7.10	
Services of city teams	854.50	
Labor as per pay rolls	1,594.91	
		<u>2,458.11</u>
Balance to general treasury...		262.47

STREET CLEANING

Appropriation	\$3,500.00
Transferred to this department	225.00
Miscellaneous receipts	.25
From general treasury to balance	37.06
	<u>\$3,762.31</u>

PAYMENTS

Refilling street broom	\$15.00	
Freight on street broom	.25	
Brooms	10.50	
Pail and nails	.27	
Meadow hoes	2.52	
Services of city teams	1,051.05	
Labor as per pay rolls	2,682.72	
		<u>\$3,762.31</u>

CARE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE STATION

Appropriation	\$100.00
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PAYMENTS

Labor as per pay rolls	\$92.75	
Broom	.50	
		<u>93.25</u>
Balance to general treasury		\$6.75

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Appropriation	\$1,600.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of superintendent	\$1,499.99	
Telephone	27.44	
Coal for office	3.63	
Keys	.50	
Superintendent's expense to Boston.....	3.25	
Stamps and stationery	3.30	
Services of stenographer	2.00	
Steel tape, etc	6.65	
Telegrams	.78	
		1,547.54
Balance to general treasury.....		\$52.46

STATE HIGHWAY TAX

Paid state for maintenance of state highway.....	\$87.50
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REPAIRING

Appropriation	\$10,000.00
Transferred to this department.....	150.00
From general treasury to balance.....	205.88
	\$10,355.88

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Sale of material	\$209.77	
Services of department	131.97	
Refund on barrels	27.74	
Sprinkling with oil	78.51	
Material to other departments.....	186.42	
		634.41

	\$10,990.29
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PAYMENTS

Coal for road roller	\$83.73	
Carpenter work	15.53	
Horses and teams	1,075.80	
Freight	1.21	
Danger signs	17.49	
Wheelbarrows	16.65	
Pipe	17.32	
Rent of shed for storage of sand.....	5.00	
Liquid binder	616.72	
Oil	29.49	
Gravel	12.30	
Amounts carried forward	\$1,891.24	\$10,990.29

Highways and Bridges—continued

REPAIRING—continued

Amounts brought forward.....	\$1,891.24	\$10,990.29
Crushed stone	3,049.34	
Repairing wagon steps	.52	
Gravel screens	14.00	
Lanterns and globes	34.18	
Hose	19.90	
Tools and implements	58.47	
Hardward	39.40	
Cement	241.23	
Surveying stakes	2.00	
Services of city teams	950.90	
Labor as per pay rolls	4,189.11	
Transferred to other departments	500.00	
		\$10,990.29

SIDEWALKS AND CURBING

Appropriation	\$1,700.00
Transferred to this department.....	250.00
Income from Bromfield fund.....	206.25
From general treasury to balance.....	14.10
	\$2,170.35

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Services on State street walk	74.00
Betterments	476.89
Sale of material	.20
Services of department	7.50
	558.59

REPAIRS

\$2,728.94

Cement	\$155.50	
Tar kettle	91.00	
Equipment		9.58
Bricks	13.50	
Concrete walks	707.85	
Services of city teams.....	331.80	
Labor as per pay rolls.....	837.27	
		\$2,146.50

NEW WORK

Carpenter work	\$22.21	
Roller	2.00	
Cement	188.13	
Hardware	2.29	
Pipe	16.50	
Jobbing	1.50	
Freight	.66	
Oil and cans	10.90	
Services of city teams.....	58.00	
Labor as per pay rolls.....	280.25	
		582.44
		\$2,728.94

Highways and Bridges—continued

CONSTRUCTION STATE AND PLEASANT STREETS

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
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PAYMENTS

Lumber for forms	\$32.67	
Trowels, tar paper and brushes.....	5.79	
Cement	213.57	
Wrought iron and labor.....	38.86	
Services of city teams.....	164.80	
Labor as per pay rolls	528.76	
		984.45
Balance to general treasury.....		\$15.55

SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriation	\$2,500.00
Transferred to this department.....	500.00
	\$3,000.00

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Services rendered:		
Boston & Northern Street Railway.....	\$27.00	
County of Essex	3.50	
Citizens Electric Street Railway.....	130.46	
All others	5.47	
		166.43

PAYMENTS

		\$3,166.43
Breaking out roads and sidewalks.....	\$1,022.92	
Labor on paths	28.12	
Supplies	1.05	
Pails	2.10	
Plows	28.00	
Pick axes and handles.....	8.25	
Services of city teams	268.70	
Labor as per pay rolls	1,787.42	
		3,146.56
Balance to general treasury.....		\$19.87

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation	\$13,500.00
Transferred to this department.....	900.00
	\$14,400.00

PAYMENTS

Newburyport Gas & Electric Co.....	13,771.64
Balance to general treasury.....	\$628.36

Highways and Bridges—continued

STREET SPRINKLING

Appropriation	\$7,400.00
Income from Simpson fund	900.00
	\$8,300.00

PAYMENTS

Water Co., for water	\$598.61
Freight	9.35
Books	8.50
Street sprinkling contract	4,458.07
Horse hire	2.50
Writing commitment	100.00
Advertising	3.00
Road oil	82.65
Watering streets	187.47
To commitment, 1910	2.33
Services of city teams	61.00
Labor	1.00
Transferred	2,550.00
	8,064.48
Balance to general treasury	
	\$235.52

OTHER EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$200.00
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PAYMENTS

Iron railing	\$23.00
Carpenter work	45.68
Cement	39.00
Sign board	1.00
Spikes	.35
Services of city teams	1.00
Labor as per pay rolls	10.75
	120.78
Balance to general treasury	
	\$79.22

RENT OF SHEDS

Appropriation	\$125.00
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PAYMENTS

Rental of shed for poor department	\$75.00
Rental of shed for highway department	50.00
	125.00

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Highways and Bridges—continued

CULVERTS

Appropriation	\$1,200.00
From general appropriation, to balance.....	4.70
	<u>\$1,204.70</u>

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Sale of old pipe.....	1.00
	<u>\$1,205.70</u>

PAYMENTS

Carpenter work and lumber.....	\$33.52
Services of mason	48.20
Castings	132.81
Freight	2.04
Hardware	36.82
Pipe	178.87
Cement	121.30
Bricks	110.70
Catch basin	5.00
Services of city teams.....	75.80
Labor as per pay rolls.....	460.64
	<u>\$1,205.70</u>

BRIDGES

Appropriation	4,200.00
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PAYMENTS

Newburyport bridge	\$1,570.85
Plum Island bridge	183.41
Chain bridge	1.44
	<u>1,755.70</u>
Balance to general treasury.....	<u>\$2,444.30</u>

NEW ROAD ROLLER

Appropriation	\$2,500.00
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PAYMENTS

Buffalo Pitts Co.....	\$2,000.00
Transferred from this department.....	500.00
	<u>\$2,500.00</u>

Highways and Bridges—continued

CITY TEAMS AND SALARIES OF DRIVERS

DEPARTMENT CREDITS

Services of teams for:	
Sewer construction	\$43.00
Sewer maintenance	81.45
Ashes and rubbish	854.50
Street cleaning	1,051.05
Repairing highways	950.90
Culverts	75.80
State and Pleasant street (new work)	164.80
Street sprinkling	61.00
Sidewalks and curbing (repairs)	331.80
Sidewalks and curbings (new work)	58.00
Snow removal	268.70
Parks	8.00
Other city properties	89.60
Miscellaneous	1.00
Sale of straw	20.65
Balance of expense, charged to fire department horses	2,375.20
	\$6,435.45

PAYMENTS

Driver of No. 1 double team	\$828.00
Driver of No. 2 double team	828.00
Driver of No. 3 double team	828.00
Driver of No. 2 single team	828.00
Driver of No. 3 single team	828.00
Substitute drivers for vacations and sickness	192.75
Freight and express	.50
Veterinary	35.00
Hay	757.96
Grain and straw	797.22
Shoeing horses	219.40
Covers for horses	13.20
Repairing harness and harness oil	55.05
Whips, sponges and grease	9.80
Soap for harnesses	6.35
Horse medicine	3.90
Repairing sleds	11.55
Repairing carts and jigger	83.87
Brooms, brushes, etc	9.00
Repairing picks, plows, etc	60.42
Repairing road machines	9.35
Repairing street sweeper	22.30
Hardware and oil	5.58
Road roller awning	2.25
	\$6,435.45

CHARITIES

Appropriation	\$12,000.00
From general treasury to balance.....	467.34

\$12,467.34

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

State	\$389.20
Easton	100.50
Boston	18.00
Cambridge	31.00
Lynn	83.50
Salem	28.00
Ipswich	253.57
Marlboro	22.85
Methuen	2.50
Amesbury	266.83
Chelsea	250.86
Haverhill	130.39
Rowley	6.00
Board of health (city)	131.23
All others	125.00
Board of horse	50.00
Sale of farm produce	87.90
Sale of barrels	3.00
Refund	6.50

1,986.83

\$14,454.17

PAYMENTS

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Salary of clerk	\$850.08
Books and stationery	21.80
Directory	2.00
Telephone rental	98.42

\$972.30

ALMSHOUSE, OR POOR FARM

Salary, superintendent and matron.....	\$720.00
Wages of farmers	360.00
Wages of cook	360.00
Wages of engineer	82.00
Wages of domestics	193.16
Mason work	27.47
Veterinary services	2.00
Carpenter's services and stock.....	22.88
Plumber's services and stock	7.20
Tobacco	42.00
Fish	164.04
Meat	468.94
Groceries	515.98
Clothing	286.18
Shoes and rubbers	81.90
Blacksmith	48.37

Amounts carried forward..... \$3,382.12

\$972.30 \$14,454.17

Charities—continued

Amounts brought forward.....	\$3,382.12	\$972.30	\$14,454.17
Farmers' produce and equipment.....	372.22		
Boiler inspections	5.00		
Live stock	49.00		
Grain	505.70		
Oil	13.70		
Furniture	30.75		
Flour	900.00		
Cash payments by superintendent.....	233.17		
Repairing engine	4.60		
Paint and varnish	16.76		
Harness repairs	27.42		
Farm labor	6.00		
Insurance	87.00		

5,633.44

OUT-DOOR RELIEF

Bags	\$ 43.29
Groceries	1,406.79
Rent	502.75
Board	409.50
Shoes and rubbers.....	100.40
Horse hire	15.50
Transportation of paupers.....	1.15
Milk	51.31
Salt pork	75.50
Cash disbursements by overseers.....	904.85
Clothing and bedding.....	20.12
Oil	13.55
Medicine and allowance.....	300.00
Coal and wood.....	6.40
Services of city physician.....	545.00
Labor at farm.....	3.50
Burial of paupers.....	82.00

4,481.61

Relief given by other cities and towns.....

1,304.96

MISCELLANEOUS

Hospitals	\$624.59
Transportation of officials.....	6.27
Board at other institutions.....	61.77

692.63

FUEL

Wood for out-door relief.....	\$327.50
Coal for out-door relief.....	665.79
Coal for almshouse	465.94

1,369.23 \$14,454.17

ANNA JQUES HOSPITAL

Appropriation	\$600.00
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PAYMENTS

To Anna Jaques hospital.....	\$600.00
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HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL

Appropriation	\$300.00
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PAYMENTS

To Homeopathic hospital.....	\$300.00
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SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

STATE AID

Received from state, amount paid in 1909.....	\$11,772.50	
By balance due for amounts paid in 1910.....	10,278.00	
		<u>\$22,050.50</u>

PAYMENTS

Cash paid beneficiaries.....	\$11,293.00	
Balance, December 18, 1909.....	10,757.50	
		<u>\$22,050.50</u>

MILITARY AID

Appropriation	\$350.00	
From state one-half of amount paid in 1909.....	306.50	
Balance due for amounts paid in 1910.....	158.00	
		<u>\$814.50</u>

PAYMENTS

Amounts paid beneficiaries in 1910.....	\$348.00	
Balance due from state, December 18, 1909.....	290.50	
		<u>638.50</u>

Balance to general treasury	\$176.00
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SOLDIERS' BURIAL

Received from state for amounts paid in 1909.....	\$444.00	
Balance due from state for amounts paid in 1910..	518.00	
		<u>\$962.00</u>

PAYMENTS

Paid burial agent in 1910.....	\$518.00	
Balance due for previous payments.....	444.00	
		<u>\$962.00</u>

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Appropriation	\$7,000.00	
Transferred to this department.....	1,500.00	
		<u>\$8,500.00</u>

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Haverhill, for relief given.....	109.25	
		<u>\$8,609.25</u>

PAYMENTS

Clerk hire	\$ 150.00	
Traveling expenses	1.88	
Nursing and watching.....	926.00	
Coal and wood	1,172.64	
Stationery and postage	18.75	
Aid by other cities	182.40	
Board	41.00	
Horse hire	4.00	
Services of housekeepers	24.00	
Medical supplies	82.00	
Shoes	14.65	
Groceries	280.94	
Board at hospitals	166.00	
Services of physicians	35.85	
Cash disbursements	5,147.00	
		<u>8,247.36</u>

Balance to general treasury	\$361.89
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EDUCATION

SALARIES

Appropriation \$42,000.00

PAYMENTS

Salary of superintendent	\$1,700.00	
Salary of truant officer	767.50	
High school teachers	9,312.50	
Elementary school teachers	22,880.04	
Training school teachers	1,334.00	
Evening school teachers	655.50	
Sewing and cookin gschool teachers.....	635.00	
Music teacher	600.00	
Drawing teacher	600.00	
Salaries of janitors	3,224.50	
		<u>11,709.04</u>
Balance to general treasury.....		\$290.96

MISCELLANEOUS

Appropriation	\$4,000.00
From general treasury to balance.....	842.76
	<u>\$4,842.76</u>

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Sale of old books	\$3.13	
Sale of pencil sharpener	2.50	
		<u>5.63</u>
		\$4,848.39

REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT

State tuition	\$ 148.00
Other tuition	965.00
Brown fund	600.00
Putnam trustees	1,200.00
	<u>\$2,913.00</u>

PAYMENTS

ADMINISTRATION

Books and stationery	\$29.57	
Telephone rental	34 28	
Directory	2.00	
P. O. box rent.....	3.00	
Traveling expenses	9.16	
Supplies	.75	
		<u>78.76</u>
Amounts carried forward.....	\$78.76	\$4,848.39

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Education—continued

MISCELLANEOUS—continued

Amounts brought forward.....	\$78.76	\$4,848.39
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TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Typewriters and supplies	\$ 226.60	
Electric supplies	4.90	
Pens and pencils	74.76	
Books and music	2,349.06	
Drawing supplies and stationery	933.84	
Laboratory equipment	161.31	
Expressage and teaming	112.40	
Maps	75.50	
Rubber stamps	10.79	
Cooking and sewing school supplies....	172.63	
Stationery and cards	204.82	
Tools	20.60	
		4,347.21
Citizens Electric St. Ry. Co. (transportation)....		157.76
Support of truants		26.00

OTHER EXPENSES

Advertising and printing.....	\$34.88	
Janitors' supplies	77.22	
Flags	5.75	
Keys and repairs to locks.....	12.19	
Diplomas and programs.....	37.50	
Extra labor of janitors.....	27.19	
Pay roll sheets.....	2.50	
Teaming piano, etc.....	7.68	
Repairs to mower and pencil sharpener..	2.25	
Framing pictures	12.50	
Tuning pianos	12.00	
Removing ashes from schools.....	7.00	
		238.66
		\$4,848.39

LIGHTING

Appropriation	\$225.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Cash from Woman's Club for lighting.....	2.00
	\$227.00

PAYMENTS

High school	\$64.40	
Jackman school	29.40	
Kelley school	58.94	
Purchase street school	8.82	
Temple street school	1.54	
Ward room	1.40	
		164.50
Balance to general treasury.....		\$60.50

Education--continued

FUEL

Appropriation	\$3,000.00
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PAYMENTS

Coal	\$2,848.65	
Wood	42.00	
Charcoal	68.50	
		2,959.15
Balance to general treasury		\$40.85

SCHOOL BUILDINGS

Appropriation	\$2,500.00
Transferred to this department	2,800.00
From general treasury to balance	294.79
	\$5,594.79

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Sale of boards	10.00
	\$5,604.79

PAYMENTS

Street sprinkling	\$ 25.05	
Setting glass and repairing windows	139.89	
Labor on fence	24.38	
Repairs to heaters	787.91	
Painting, kalsomining, etc.	1,197.27	
Repairs to plastering	67.81	
New furnaces	269.00	
Insurance	288.00	
Plumbing and repairing same	248.45	
New blackboards	468.88	
Repairing blackboards	42.69	
Repairing electric clock	18.00	
Repairing locks and doors	15.60	
Gas fixtures and repairing same	7.55	
Inspection of boilers	29.00	
Bookcase, screens and repairing roof	33.25	
Advertising for bids	14.50	
Electrical supplies and rope	31.22	
Carpenter work and stock, repairing	1,182.96	
Ventilators and new gutters	117.47	
Janitors' supplies	88.05	
Lawn mower and rake	5.45	
Labor, mason	35.80	
Teaming	1.25	
Step ladder and gilding clock	5.50	
Committee's expense to Boston	2.50	
Architect, for sketches of old building	50.00	
New seats	120.50	
New curtains and hanging	279.36	
New chair	7.50	
		\$5,604.79

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Education—continued

CURRIER SCHOOL BUILDING

RECEIPTS

Proceeds of bond issue.....	\$30,963.33
Sale of Hicken house	300.00
	\$31,263.33

PAYMENTS

Purchase of land	\$2,000.00
Advertising for bids	34.00
Architect, on account	761.72
Contractor, on account	2,333.25
	5,128.97
Balance	
	\$26,134.36

LIBRARY AND READING ROOM

SALARIES AND WAGES

Appropriation	\$3,775.00
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REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT

Use of library two years (Newbury)	\$300.00
Dog licenses	540.52
Income from trust funds:	
A. E. Cutter	105.00
S. W. Marston	140.00
E. S. Moseley	140.00
W. O. Moseley	400.00
E. H. Stickney	250.00
J. M. Bradbury	40.00
C. W. Bradstreet	30.00

\$1,945.52

PAYMENT FROM REVENUE

Bond of custodian of Stickney fund	30.00
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\$1,915.52

PAYMENTS

Salary of librarian	\$1,500.00
Salary of assistants	1,753.85
Salary of janitor	460.04

\$3,713.89

Balance to general treasury	\$61.11
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BOOKS, PERIODICALS, ETC.

Balance from 1909	\$1,019.58
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Income from trust funds:

S. A. Green	\$ 80.00
J. A. Frothingham	42.50
A. Williams	40.00
M. P. Sawyer	200.00
J. R. Spring	800.00
W. C. Todd	661.41
W. H. P. Dodge	95.80
George Haskell	37.88

1,957.59

\$2,977.17

PAYMENTS

Books, periodicals, etc.	\$1,958.45
Binding books, etc.	315.78

2,274.23

Balance, Nov. 30, 1910	\$702.94
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Library and Reading Room—continued

FUEL

Appropriation	\$350.00
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PAYMENTS

Coal	\$207.02
Transferred	50.00
	257.02
Balance to general treasury	
	\$92.98

LIGHTING

Appropriation	\$400.00
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PAYMENTS

Newburyport Gas & Electric Co.	364.05
Balance to general treasury	\$35.95

OTHER EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$125.00
Transferred to this department	75.00
From general treasury to balance	.55
	\$200.55

DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Fines and sale of old paper	10.30

PAYMENTS

Telephone rental	\$21.86
P. O. box rent	16.00
Ink and ink stand	2.85
Pencils	1.55
Postage	5.00
Binder and tape	11.40
Stationery	30.00
Shovel	.25
Express	3.58
Typewriter desk	20.00
Typewriter supplies	5.45
Sprinkling streets	6.57
Electrical supplies	22.51
Labels and bands	6.85
Annual reports	12.00
Stamp and pad	3.10
Mucilage	7.00
Call slips	18.88
Removing ashes	16.00
	\$210.85

RECREATION

CITY PARKS

Appropriation	\$500.00
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PAYMENTS

Salaries and wages	\$284.75	
Plants and setting same	75.00	
Street sprinkling	68.82	
Carpenter work	6.94	
Rakes and hoes	1.38	
Repairing lawn mower	6.95	
Removing rubbish	8.00	
Use of city teams	8.00	
		459.84
Balance to general treasury		
		\$40.16

ATKINSON COMMON

Appropriation	\$500.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Sale of grass	10.00
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PAYMENTS

			\$510.00
Salaries and wages	\$353.62		
Street sprinkling	9.81		
Rustic seat	10.00		
Rope and repairing flag	1.64		
Lawn mowers	70.00		
Sharpening cutter	.50		
Teaming shrubs	1.23		
Paint	.50		
Hoes and forks	3.80		
Shears	3.25		
Edge cutter	.50		
Fertilizer	47.20		
Use of horse	5.20		
Repairing pipe	2.00		
			509.25
Balance to general treasury			
			\$0.75

PLAY GROUNDS

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
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PAYMENTS

Disinfectant	\$.50	
Building two houses and swings	505.30	
Setting glass	1.00	
Sand	7.50	
Shower baths	165.00	
Stakes	1.77	
Sporting goods	35.05	
		716.12
Balance to general treasury		
		\$283.88

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CELEBRATIONS
MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	\$300.00
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PAYMENTS

Quartermaster, Post 49, G. A. R.	\$300.00
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FIREMEN'S MEMORIAL SUNDAY

Appropriation	\$75.00
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PAYMENTS

Firemen's Memorial Sunday	75.00
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UNCLASSIFIED
CITY CLOCKS

Appropriation	\$75.00
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PAYMENTS

Salary of superintendent of clocks	75.00
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EMBEZZLEMENT ACCOUNT

CREDITS

Balance, Dec. 18, 1909	\$ 721.47	
Proceeds from sale of St. Paul land	1,302.58	
Judgment against W. W. Fay	350.00	
		\$2,374.05

DEBITS

Augustus Nickerson at hearing	\$55.00	
Auditor at hearing, Judge Lummus	58.33	
		113.33
Balance		\$2,260.72

COUNTY OF ESSEX

RECEIPTS

From county for services of dog officer	\$93.00
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PAYMENTS

To dog officer	\$93.00
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Unclassified—continued

OTHER CITY PROPERTIES

Appropriation	\$900.00
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DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

Cement, sold other departments.....	180.00
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\$1,080.00

PAYMENTS

Cement for Goodwin's landing	\$ 72.16	
Equipment for Goodwin's landing.....	6.72	
Lumber for Goodwin's landing	5.98	
Labor as per pay rolls, Goodwin's landing.....	289.76	
Teaming for Goodwin's landing.....	87.60	
Labor and teaming at upper landing.....	6.00	
Carpenter work at pest house.....	3.50	
Carpenter work at almshouse	55.15	
Insurance at almshouse and stable.....	187.50	
Labor on trees at city farm.....	13.66	
Repairing Bromfield street bridge.....	19.08	
Cement for other departments.....	180.00	
Cement for sea wall.....	16.11	
Labor at sea wall	3.28	
Street sprinkling, miscellaneous parks.....	4.22	
Insurance on public library.....	75.00	
		1,025.72
Balance to general treasury		\$54.28

UNCALLED FOR CLAIMS

Balance, Dec. 18, 1909.....	\$40.91
Pay roll, Feb. 10, 1910.....	1.50
	\$42.41

PAYMENTS

Seth Buckley, claim called for.....	\$1.00	
Mr. Bradbury, claim called for.....	1.75	
		2.75
Balance, Dec. 17, 1910.....		\$39.66

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

WATER WORKS

Balance, beginning of year..... \$1,684.04

RECEIPTS

From water rates	\$39,968.03	
“ meter rates	7,714.86	
“ city, fire service	3,500.00	
“ city, public buildings	1,500.00	
“ city, street sprinkling	598.61	
“ sundry water receipts	56.03	
Total receipts for water.....		\$53,337.53

Other Receipts:

From interest	115.88	
“ service pipe construction.....	414.22	
“ extension of mains.....	2,317.88	
“ new supply	100.00	
“ hydrant construction	109.50	
“ general maintenance	25.22	
“ service pipe maintenance.....	9.24	
“ pumping station maintenance....	218.38	
“ hydrant maintenance	60.14	
“ pumping station, Artichoke river.	16.14	
		3,386.60
		56,724.13
		\$58,408.17

PAYMENTS

City of Newburyport for interest on bonds	\$12,575.00
City of Newburyport to retire bonds....	14,000.00
	\$26,575.00

CONSTRUCTION

New pump and engine, Artichoke river.	\$2,911.47
Extension of mains.....	2,758.66
Extension of mains, Newbury.....	2,257.25
Service pipe construction.....	1,001.45
Service pipe construction, Newbury....	652.43
Hydrant construction	617.85
New supply	807.85
New supply, Artichoke river dam.....	215.00
New supply, new filter.....	547.86
New meters	33.10
	11,802.92

MAINTENANCE

General maintenance	\$3,635.27
Pumping station maintenance.....	7,694.52
Amounts carried forward.....	\$11,329.79
	\$38,377.92
	\$58,408.17

Public Service Enterprises—continued

WATER WORKS—continued

Amounts brought forward.....	\$11,329.79	\$38,377.92	\$58,408.17
Pumping station maintenance, Artichoke	2,066.78		
Street standpipe "	171.79		
Service pipe "	573.78		
Main pipe "	220.81		
Hydrant "	180.59		
Ga te "	122.60		
Reservoir "	10.10		
Filter beds "	163.83		
Meter beds "	41.43		
Sundry water receipts.....	2.00		
		14,883.50	
			53,261.42
Balance, Dec. 17, 1910.....			\$5,146.75

CEMETERIES

SALARIES AND WAGES

Appropriation	\$250.00
PAYMENTS	
Salary of superintendent.....	250.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Appropriation	\$50.00
Transferred to this department.....	25.00
	\$75.00

PAYMENTS

Fuel	\$ 4.63
Repairing gate posts	2.87
Use of land for driveway.....	20.00
Use of water	15.00
Galvanized pipe	13.44
Implements	6.44
	62.38
Balance to general treasury.....	\$12.62

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INTEREST

Appropriation	\$44,000.00
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REVENUE, CREDITED TO INCOME ACCOUNT

Interest on overdue taxes and assessments.....	\$ 3,947.23
Rebate for advance payment.....	4.37
Interest from water commissioners.....	12,575.00
Interest on bank deposits.....	1,210.50

\$17,737.10

PAYMENTS

Interest on tax notes	\$ 3,194.24
“ trust fund notes.....	1,690.00
“ bonds, school	3,001.25
“ “ sewer	5,970.00
“ “ water	12,452.50
“ “ refunding	6,260.00
“ “ bridge	1,470.00
“ “ trust fund	1,350.00
“ “ refunding overdraft	600.00
“ “ refunding J. V. F.....	480.00
Transferred to bridge bonds	1,000.00

37,467.99

Balance to general treasury.....	\$6,532.01
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MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

1909.

Dec. 18, gross city debt \$962,750.00

DEBTS INCURRED DURING 1910

1910.

Jan. 10, note No. 6, anticipation of taxes, due	
Oct. 10, 1910.....	\$25,000.00
March 21, note No. 7, anticipation of taxes, due	
Oct. 21, 1910.....	50,000.00
March 21, note No. 8, anticipation of taxes, due	
Oct. 21, 1910.....	50,000.00
Nov. 5, note No. 9, anticipation of taxes, due	
April 5, 1911	25,000.00
Dec. 17, schoolhouse bonds, \$2000, due Nov. 1st	
each year	30,000.00
	180,000.00
	\$1,142,750.00

DEBTS PAID DURING YEAR

1910.

Feb. 4, note No. 699, anticipation of taxes....	\$ 1,000.00
Apr. 2, note No. 5, anticipation of taxes....	30,000.00
Oct. 10, note No. 6, anticipation of taxes....	25,000.00
Oct. 21, note No. 7, anticipation of taxes....	50,000.00
Oct. 21, note No. 8, anticipation of taxes....	50,000.00
Bridge bonds	7,000.00
Overdraft bonds	2,000.00
Trust funds	4,000.00
Water bonds	14,000.00
Schoolhouse bonds, due June 1, 1910.....	27,500.00
	210,500.00
Gross city debt, Dec. 17, 1910.....	\$932,250.00

INCOME ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Burial lots	\$ 137.00
Interest	17,737.10
Street watering, 1910	3,166.57
City clerk	1,071.75
Police	996.99
Public library	1,915.52
Municipal buildings (city hall).....	649.00
Sealer of weights and measures.....	154.02
School department	2,913.00
Street railway tax	1,688.80
Treasurer and collector	200.85
Departmental	59.10
Corporation tax	15,592.48
National bank tax	2,702.22
Estimated income	\$48,984.40
	40,950.00
To excess and deficit account.....	\$8,034.40

EXCESS AND DEFICIT ACCOUNT

	Debit	Credit
Excess of income over estimate.....		\$8,034.40
Aldermen and council.....Undrawn		111.04
Mayor's department		75.15
Auditor's department		84.02
Treasurer and collector's department.....		20.10
Assessors' department		27.47
Expense of bond issue.....		197.50
City clerk's department.....		119.43
Law department		81.75
Election and registration.....		222.03
Municipal buildings (city hall).....		175.48
Police supervision		31.68
Police salaries		165.60
Police lighting		76.54
Police station		132.75
Police miscellaneous expenses.....		135.77
Fire, administration		25.00
Fire, salaries		45.13
Fire, horses and care of same.....Overdrawn	\$1,809.52	
Fire, fuel	15.43	
Fire, lighting		3.80
Fire, hydrant service and water.....Overdrawn	173.91	
Fire, new hose		33.80
Fire, hook and ladder.....		392.21
Fire, equipment and repairs.....		16.56
Fire, repairs on buildings.....		128.37
Fire, miscellaneous expenses.....		273.68
Fire alarm and wires, miscellaneous.....		64.67
Inspection of plumbing.....		83.50
Sealer of weights and measures.....		24.56
Moth extermination		324.36
Tree warden and care of trees.....		90.89
Harbor master		7.29
Health and sanitation, vital statistics.....		123.59
Health and sanitation, miscellaneous.....		163.12
Health and sanitation, insp. milk & vinegar		28.51
Health and sanitation, sewer maintenance.		212.42
Health and sanitation, ashes and rubbish..		262.47
Health and sanitation, street cleaning...Overdrawn	37.06	
Health and sanitation, convenience station.Undrawn		6.75
Highways, administration		52.46
Highways, repairing	205.88	
Highways, culverts	4.70	
Highways, bridges		2,444.30
Highways, sidewalk State & Pleasant streets		15.55
Highways, lighting		628.36
Highways, street sprinkling		235.52
Highways, sidewalks and curbing.....Overdrawn	14.10	
Highways, snow removal		19.87
Highways, miscellaneous		79.22
Poor department	467.34	
Military aid		176.00
Soldiers' relief		361.89
Education, salaries		290.96
Education, miscellaneous	842.76	
Amounts carried forward.....	\$3,570.70	\$16,305.52

Excess and Deficit Account—continued

	Debit	Credit
Amounts brought forward.....	\$3,570.70	\$16,305.52
Education, fuel Undrawn		40.85
Education, light "		62.50
Education, school buildings..... Overdrawn	294.79	
Public library, salaries Undrawn		61.11
Public library, miscellaneous..... Overdrawn	.55	
Public library, fuel Undrawn		92.98
Public library light "		35.95
City parks "		40.16
Atkinson common "		.75
Play grounds "		283.88
Other city properties "		54.28
Cemeteries, miscellaneous "		12.62
Interest "		6,532.01
Abatement, watering streets 1910.....	4.73	
Abatement, watering streets 1909.....	17.18	
Abatement, watering streets 1908.....	32.88	
Abatement, preservation of trees 1909.....	1.98	
Abatement, preservation of trees 1908.....	4.00	
To county of Essex, Chain bridge.....	18,700.00	
Balance to Sinking fund commissioners.....	895.80	
	\$23,522.61	\$23,522.61

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1910

Statement of Income, Appropriations, Expenditures and Balances for the
Year Ending Dec. 17, 1910.

INCOME

Revenue accounts	Receipts for December	Total Receipts	Estimated Receipts
Corporation tax	...	\$15,592.48	\$12,000.00
National bank tax	...	2,702.22	2,000.00
Street railway tax	...	1,688.80	1,500.00
Street watering, 1910	...	3,166.57	4,000.00
Cemetery, sale of lots	...	137.00	200.00
City clerk's department	25.00	1,071.75	600.00
Interest	122.64	17,737.10	15,000.00
Police department	250.00	996.99	900.00
Public library	150.00	1,915.52	1,500.00
Municipal building	95.00	649.00	500.00
School department	152.00	2,913.00	2,500.00
Sealer of weights and measures	26.25	154.02	100.00
Treasurer and collector's department	75.40	200.85	150.00
Departmental receipts	...	59.10	...
Net receipts	\$896.29	*\$48,984.40	\$40,950.00
Taxes, 1910	...	\$202,386.67	...
Taxes, previous years	...	67,946.75	...
Street watering, previous years	...	3,621.92	...
Preservation of trees	...	1,151.90	...
Betterments	...	280.71	...
Total net receipts	...	\$324,372.35	...

*Excess of income over estimate, \$8,034.40.

EXPENDITURES

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:	Trans. to this Dept.	Total Credits	Trans. fr. this Dept.	Expend- itures	Un- drawn	Over- drawn
Aldermen and council, Appropria- tion gas investigation, mu- nicipal register	\$3000 ..	\$3,264.90	\$1,700	\$3,153.86	\$111.04	..
Mayor's office	1,300 ..	1,300.00	..	1,224.85	75.15	..
City auditor's depart	1,200 ..	1,204.00	..	1,119.98	84.02	..
Treas. and col. dept	2,500 200	2,701.72	..	2,681.62	20.10	..
Assessors' dept	1,900 450	2,350.00	..	2,322.53	27.47	..
Expense bond note issue	300 ..	300.00	..	102.50	197.50	..
City clerk's dept	1,760 ..	1,702.00	..	1,582.57	119.43	..
City messenger's dept	900 ..	900.00	..	900.00	..	..
Law department	700 ..	700.00	..	618.25	81.75	..
Elec. and registration	1,750 ..	1,750.00	..	1,527.97	222.03	..
City hall	1,500 ..	1,514.39	..	1,338.91	175.48	..
Protection of Life and Property, police dept:						
Supervision	1,300 ..	1,300.00	..	1,268.32	31.68	..
Salaries	12,300 ..	12,300.00	1,100	12,134.40	165.69	..
Light	250 ..	250.00	..	173.46	76.54	..
Maintenance of build	450 ..	451.93	..	319.13	132.75	..
Miscellaneous expenses	450 ..	450.00	..	314.23	135.77	..

Financial Statement for 1910—continued

EXPENDITURES—continued

	Appropriat'n	Trans.to this Dept.	Total Credits	Trans.fr. this Dept.	Expend- itures	Un- drawn	Over- drawn
Fire department:							
Supervision	300	..	300.00	..	275.00	25.00	..
Salaries	8,000	..	8,002.50	..	7,957.37	45.13	..
Horses and care of....	3,000	..	3,000.00	..	4,809.52	..	1,809.52
Fuel	700	..	700.00	..	715.43	..	15.43
Light	400	..	400.00	..	396.20	3.80	..
Hydrant service, water	5,000	..	5,000.00	..	5,173.91	..	173.91
New hose	1,200	1000	2,200.00	..	2,166.20	33.80	..
Hook and ladder truck.	2,000	..	2,000.00	1000	1,607.79	392.21	..
Equipment, repairs ...	1,300	250	1,550.00	..	1,533.44	16.56	..
Repairs on buildings..	600	..	600.00	..	471.63	128.37	..
Miscellaneous expenses	200	300	538.50	..	264.82	273.68	..
Fire Alarm, Wires:							
Supervision	300	..	300.00	..	300.00	..	..
Miscellaneous expenses	500	200	700.00	..	635.33	64.67	..
Inspection plumbing...	250	..	250.00	..	166.50	83.50	..
Sealer weights, meas..	725	50	775.00	..	750.44	24.56	..
Moth extermination...	2,850	..	4,221.80	..	3,897.44	324.36	..
Care of trees, warden.	500	..	771.22	..	680.33	90.89	..
Harbor master	125	..	125.00	..	117.71	7.29	..
Health and Sanitation:							
Supervision and labor..	500	..	500.00	..	500.00	..	..
Vital statistics	300	..	300.00	..	176.41	123.59	..
Miscellaneous expenses	1,500	100	1,960.14	..	1,797.02	163.12	..
Inspec. school children.	200	..	200.00	..	200.00	..	..
Inspec. of animals....	300	..	300.00	..	300.00	..	..
Inspec. meats, provis..	500	..	500.00	..	500.00	..	..
Inspec. milk, vinegar..	700	125	825.00	..	796.49	28.51	..
Sewer maintenance....	400	..	470.77	..	258.35	212.42	..
Ashes and rubbish.....	2,700	..	2,720.58	..	2,458.11	262.47	..
Street cleaning	3,500	225	3,725.25	..	3,762.31	..	37.06
Care of public conven- ience stations	100	..	100.00	..	93.25	6.75	..
Highways and Bridges:							
Supt. and office expense	1,600	..	1,600.00	..	1,547.54	52.46	..
Salaries	..	..	6,435.45	..	6,435.45	..	..
Repairing	10,000	150	10,784.41	500	10,990.29	..	205.88
Culverts	1,200	..	1,201.00	..	1,205.70	..	4.70
Bridges	4,200	..	4,200.00	..	1,755.70	2,444.30	..
Road roller	2,500	..	2,500.00	500	2,500.00	..	..
Construction, (new work) sidewalks, on State and Pleasant streets							
1,000	..	1,000.00	..	984.45	15.55	..	..
New city shed.....	700	..	700.00	700	700.00	..	..
Lighting	13,500	900	14,400.00	..	13,771.64	628.36	..
Sprinkling	7,400	..	8,300.03	2550	8,064.51	235.52	..
Sidewalks and curbing.	1,700	250	2,714.84	..	2,728.94	..	14.10
Snow removal	2,500	500	3,166.43	..	3,146.56	19.87	..
Miscellaneous	200	..	200.00	..	120.78	79.22	..
Rent of sheds.....	125	..	125.00	..	125.00	..	..

Financial Statement for 1910—continued

EXPENDITURES—continued

	Appropriat'n	Trans.to this Dept.	Total Credits	Trans.fr. this Dept.	Expend- itures	Un- drawn	Over- drawn
Charities:							
Poor department	12,000	..	13,996.59	..	14,465.93	..	467.34
Anna Jaques hospital..	600	..	600.00	..	600.00	..	..
Homeopathic hospital..	300	..	300.00	..	300.00	..	..
Soldiers' Benefits:							
Military aid	350	..	814.50	..	638.50	176.00	..
Soldiers' relief	7,000	1500	8,609.25	..	8,247.36	361.89	..
Education:							
Salaries	42,000	..	42,000.00	..	41,709.04	290.96	..
Miscellaneous	4,000	..	4,005.63	..	4,848.39	..	842.76
Fuel	3,000	..	3,000.00	..	2,959.15	40.85	..
Light	225	..	227.00	..	164.50	62.50	..
School buildings	2,500	2800	5,310.00	..	5,604.79	..	294.79
Public Library:							
Salaries and wages....	3,775	..	3,775.00	..	3,713.89	61.11	..
Miscellaneous payments	125	75	210.30	..	210.85	..	.55
Fuel	350	..	350.00	50	257.02	92.98	..
Light	400	..	400.00	..	364.05	35.95	..
Recreation:							
City parks	500	..	500.00	..	459.84	40.16	..
Atkinson common	500	..	510.00	..	509.25	.75	..
Memorial day	300	..	300.00	..	300.00	..	..
Firemen's Memorial							
Sunday	75	..	75.00	..	75.00	..	..
Play grounds	1,000	..	1,000.00	..	716.12	283.88	..
Unclassified:							
City clocks	75	..	75.00	..	75.00	..	..
Other city properties..	900	..	1,080.01	..	1,025.73	54.28	..
Reserve fund	1,000	..	1,000.00	1000	1,000.00	..	..
Cemeteries:							
Supervision and labor.	250	..	250.00	..	250.00	..	..
Miscellaneous	50	25	75.00	..	62.38	12.62	..
Interest	44,000	..	44,000.00	1000	37,467.99	6,532.01	..
Indebtedness:							
Bridge bonds	6,000	1000	7,000.00	..	7,000.00	..	..
Overdraft bonds	2,000	..	2,000.00	..	2,000.00	..	..
Refunding bonds	4,000	..	4,000.00	..	4,000.00	..	..
Sinking funds	12,000	..	12,000.00	..	12,000.00	..	..
Abatements, street wa-							
tering	..	..	..	..	54.79	..	54.79
Abatements, pres. trees	..	..	..	..	5.98	..	5.98
Totals	\$266,050	\$10,100	\$290,265.14	\$10,100	\$278,703.74	\$15,488.21	\$3,926.81
Excess of income over estimate.....						\$ 8,034.40	
Payment to county of Essex, Chain bridge award.....							18,700.00
Payment to sinking fund commissioners.....							895.80

 \$23,522.61 \$23,522.61

Financial Statement for 1910—continued

RECAPITULATION OF EXPENDITURES

General government	\$16,573.04
Protection of life and property	46,128.65
Health and sanitation	10,841.94
Highways and bridges	54,076.56
Charities	15,363.93
Soldiers' benefits	8,885.86
Education	55,285.87
Library and reading room	4,545.81
Recreation	2,060.21
Unclassified	2,100.73
Cemeteries	312.38
Interest	37,467.99
Indebtedness	25,000.00
	\$278,642.97

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS

BROMFIELD FUND

CR.

From trustees of trust funds.....	\$412.50
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DR.

Tree warden and care of trees.....	\$206.25
Sidewalks and curbings	206.25
	\$412.50

SIMPSON FUND

CR.

From trustees of trust funds.....	\$900.00
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DR.

Sprinkling streets	\$900.00
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BALCH FUND

Under Will of Helen B. Fowler

CR.

From executors of will of Helen B. Fowler.....	\$10,000.00
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DR.

To sinking fund commissioners, trustees.....	\$10,000.00
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OVERLAY ACCOUNT

CREDITS

Balance from previous year.....	\$ 5,017.94
Omitted assessments for year 1909.....	14,006.24
Reassessments for year 1909.....	68.40
Overlay from 1910 tax levy.....	12,396.54
	\$31,489.12

DEBITS

Abatements of tax 1910, less reassessments.....	\$14,688.35
Abatements of tax 1909, less reassessments.....	941.08
Abatements of tax 1908, less reassessments.....	314.16
Abatements of tax 1907.....	679.87
Abatements of tax 1906.....	371.00
Abatements of tax 1904.....	.50
	16,994.96
Balance	\$14,494.16

CITY DEBT AND ASSETS

Dec. 17, 1910

Bonds		Due	
Refunding	4	per cent, July 1, 1911.....	\$ 90,000
Refunding	4	per cent, Apr. 1, 1913.....	25,000
Sewer	4	per cent, Sept. 1, 1919.....	107,500
High school	3 ½	per cent, July 1, 1922.....	35,000
High school	3 ½	per cent, Dec. 1, 1923.....	50,000
Refunding	4	per cent, Nov. 1, 1924.....	62,000
Sewer	3 ½	per cent, Sept. 1, 1931.....	46,000
Water	3 ½	per cent, June 1, 1911-34 (serial)..	271,000
Water	4	per cent, July 1, 1911-38 (serial)..	70,000
Bridge	3 ½	per cent, Sept. 1, 1911-15 (serial)..	35,000
Overdraft	4	per cent, June 1, 1911-17 (serial)..	14,000
Refunding trust funds,	3 ¾	per cent, Sept. 1, 1911-18 (serial)..	32,000
Schoolhouse	4	per cent, Nov. 1, 1911-25 (serial)..	30,000

Total bonded debt \$867,500

TRUST FUND NOTES:

Simpson fund, 4 ½ per cent, due on demand....	\$20,000.00	
Todd fund, 4 per cent, due on demand....	9,750.00	
Moseley fund, 4 per cent, due on demand....	10,000.00	
		<u>\$39,750</u>

TEMPORARY LOANS in anticipation of taxes:

Note No. 9 discounted at 4 per cent, due April 2,		
1911	\$25,000.00	
		<u>25,000</u>

Gross debt of city, Dec. 17, 1910 \$932,250

ASSETS

Taxes 1905 uncollected.....	\$ 2,145.92	
Taxes 1906 uncollected.....	2,176.66	
Taxes 1907 uncollected.....	2,698.94	
Taxes 1908 uncollected.....	11,762.83	
Taxes 1909 uncollected.....	30,135.98	
Taxes 1910 uncollected.....	73,161.19	
		<u>\$122,081.52</u>
Watering streets 1907 uncollected	\$ 1.92	
Watering streets 1908 uncollected	2.40	
Watering streets 1909 uncollected	600.63	
Watering streets 1910 uncollected	809.97	
		<u>1,414.92</u>
Pres. of trees 1908 uncollected...	\$ 45.10	
Pres. of trees 1909 uncollected...	441.23	
Pres. of trees 1910 uncollected...	576.26	
		<u>1,062.59</u>
Amounts carried forward.....	\$124,559.03	\$932,250.00

City Debt and Assets—continued

ASSETS—continued

Amounts brought forward.....	\$124,559.03	\$932,250.00
Betterments uncollected	1,424.37	
Embezzlement account	2,260.72	
Cash in First National bank, city. \$12,874.18		
Cash in Old Colony Trust Co., Boston	7,005.28	
Cash in treasurer's office.....	253.24	
		20,132.70
State of Mass. state aid.....	\$10,278.00	
State of Mass. military aid.....	158.00	
State of Mass. soldiers' burial.....	518.00	
		10,954.00
Sinking funds	231,570.84	
		\$390,901.66
Total net debt Dec. 17, 1910.....		541,348.34
Total net debt Dec. 18, 1909.....		589,904.27
Reduction in debt.....		\$48,555.93

ANNUAL NET DEBT STATEMENT

The following table shows the net debt at the close of each fiscal year, beginning with the year 1899:

Years	Net Debt	Increase	Decrease
1899.....	\$289,566.47		\$88,720.01
1900.....	286,876.59		2,689.88
1901.....	317,272.13	\$ 30,395.54	
1902.....	321,725.39	4,453.26	
1903.....	369,687.30	47,961.91	
1904.....	646,819.16	277,131.86*	
1905.....	671,536.83	24,717.67	
1906.....	630,305.15		41,231.68
1907.....	596,120.73		34,184.42
1908.....	586,259.64		9,861.09
1909.....	589,904.27	3,644.63	
1910.....	541,348.34		48,555.93

*Water plant acquired.

BORROWING CAPACITY

Dec. 17, 1910

Valuation 1908-1909-1910

Year	Total Val.	Abatements	Net Val.
1908.....	\$11,995,851.00	\$281,475.00	\$11,714,376.00
1909.....	13,216,621.00	118,000.00	13,098,621.00
1910.....	15,745,592.00	856,926.00	14,888,666.00
			<u>\$39,701,663.00</u>

Average net valuation for three years, \$13,233,887.

Debt limit, 2½ per cent. of \$13,233,887, is.....	\$330,847.18
City debt, omitting tax loans.....	\$907,250.00

Exempted debt to be deducted:

Sewers (Acts of 1900, Chap. 59) ..	\$153,500.00
Water (Acts of 1894 and 1908) ..	341,000.00
Bridge (Acts of 1904, Chap. 359)	35,000.00
High school (Acts of 1902, Chap. 237)	70,000.00
	<u>599,500.00</u>

Dept not exempted.....	\$307,750.00
Total sinking funds.....	\$231,570.84
Less for exempted loans.....	<u>109,247.62</u>

Sinking fund for unexempted debt..... 122,323.22

Net debt not exempted..... 185,426.78

Borrowing capacity Dec. 17, 1910.....	\$145,420.40
Loans in anticipation of taxes 1910,.....	<u>25,000.00</u>

SINKING FUNDS

In Hands of Sinking Fund Commissioners

Total amount of funds Dec. 18, 1909.....		\$236,060.01
Receipts During Year:		
City appropriation for 1910.....	\$12,000.00	
Interest on investments	11,046.01	
Premiums on investments	726.70	
Total receipts		23,772.71
		\$259,832.72
Payments:		
Accrued interest on bonds purchased.....	\$ 761.88	
Paid into city treasury to retire schoolhouse loan	27,500.00	
Total payments		28,261.88
Total amount of sinking funds Dec 17, 1910.....		\$231,570.84
The above funds are apportioned to retire the city debt as follows:		

SCHOOLHOUSE LOAN

\$27,500 due June 1, 1910

Total funds Dec. 18, 1909.....	\$27,019.34	
Income for 1910	480.66	
		\$27,500.00
Cancelled by payment to city of Newburyport.....		\$27,500.00

REFUNDING LOAN

\$90,000 due July 1, 1911

Total funds Dec. 18, 1909.....	\$82,514.57	
City appropriation for 1910.....	2,000.00	
Income for 1910	3,765.43	
		\$88,280.00

INVESTED

Newburyport 4 per cent. refunding bonds, due July 1, 1911	\$86,000.00	
Newburyport 3½ per cent. bridge bonds.....	1,000.00	
Newburyport 3½ per cent. water bonds.....	1,000.00	
Newburyport Five Cents Savings bank.....	280.00	
		\$88,280.00

REFUNDING LOAN

\$25,000 due April 1, 1913

Total funds Dec. 18, 1909.....	\$19,352.29	
City appropriation for 1910.....	1,400.00	
Income for 1910	1,168.06	
		\$21,920.35

INVESTED

Newburyport 4 per cent. refunding bonds, due April 1, 1913	\$ 2,000.00	
Newburyport 3½ per cent. water bonds.....	11,000.00	
Newburyport 4 per cent. overdraft bonds.....	8,000.00	
Quincy 4 per cent. water bonds.....	500.00	
First National bank, city.....	420.35	
		\$21,920.35

Sinking Funds—continued

SEWERAGE LOAN

\$107,500 due September 1, 1919

Total funds Dec. 18, 1909.....	\$61,025.24
Appropriation for 1910.....	2,750.00
Income for 1910.....	2,285.75

\$66 060.99

INVESTED

Newburyport 4 per cent. sewer bonds, due 1919.....	\$59,500.00
Newburyport 3½ per cent. high school bonds....	4,000.00
Boston & Maine railroad.....	2,000.00
First National bank.....	315.06
Five Cents Savings bank.....	245.93

\$66,060.99

HIGH SCHOOL LOAN

\$35,000 due July 1, 1922

Total funds Dec. 18, 1909.....	\$14,583.73
Appropriation for 1910.....	1,200.00
Income for 1910.....	862.49

\$16,646.22

INVESTED

Newburyport 3½ per cent. high school bonds, due July 1, 1922.....	\$16,000.00
Five Cents Savings bank.....	646.22

\$16,646.22

HIGH SCHOOL LOAN

\$50,000 due December 1, 1923

Total funds Dec. 18, 1909.....	\$14,672.81
Appropriation for 1910.....	1,600.00
Income for 1910.....	727.19

\$17,000.00

INVESTED

Newburyport 3½ per cent. high school bonds, due Dec. 1, 1923.....	\$1,000.00
Newburyport 3½ per cent. sewer bonds.....	5,000.00
Pittsfield 3½ per cent bonds.....	4,000.00
Fitchburg railroad 3½ per cent. bonds.....	7,000.00

\$17,000.00

REFUNDING BONDS

\$62,000 due November 1, 1924

Total funds Dec. 18, 1909.....	\$3,626.38
Appropriation for 1910.....	2,000.00
Income for 1910.....	896.49

\$6,522.87

INVESTED

Boston & Maine railroad 4 per cent. bonds.....	\$3,000.00
Fitchburg railroad 3½ per cent. bonds.....	3,000.00
Five Cents Savings bank.....	522.87

\$6,522.87

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Sinking Funds—continued

SEWERAGE LOAN

\$46,000 due September 1, 1931

Total funds Dec. 18, 1909	\$13,265.65	
Appropriation for 1910	1,050.00	
Income for 1910	824.76	
		\$15,140.41

INVESTED

Newburyport 3½ per cent. sewer bonds, due Sept. 1, 1931	\$15,000.00	
Five Cents Savings bank	140.41	
		\$15,140.41

SUMMARY

City of Newburyport (refunding)	4	p. c.	July 1, 1911...	\$86,000.00
City of Newburyport (bridge)	3½	"	Sept. 1, 1911...	1,000.00
City of Quincy	4	"	May 1, 1912...	500.00
City of Newburyport (water)	3½	"	June 1, 1912...	11,000.00
City of Newburyport (refunding)	4	"	Apr. 1, 1913...	2,000.00
City of Newburyport (o'd'ft \$2000)	4	"	June 1, 1914-17	8,000.00
City of Pittsfield (o'd'ft \$1000)	3½	"	Aug. 15, 1916-18	3,000.00
City of Pittsfield	3½	"	June 1, 1916...	1,000.00
City of Newburyport (sewer)	4	"	Sept. 1, 1919...	17,000.00
City of Newburyport (sewer)	4	"	Oct. 1, 1919...	7,500.00
City of Newburyport (sewer)	4	"	Nov. 1, 1919...	35,000.00
Fitchburg railroad	3½	"	Oct. 1, 1921...	10,000.00
City of Newburyport (high school)	3½	"	July 1, 1922...	20,000.00
City of Newburyport (high school)	3½	"	Dec. 1, 1923...	1,000.00
Boston & Maine railroad	4	"	Sept. 1, 1926...	5,000.00
City of Newburyport (water)	3½	"	June 1, 1928...	1,000.00
City of Newburyport (sewer)	3½	"	Sept. 1, 1831...	20,000.00
Five Cents Savings bank (deposit)				1,835.43
First National bank (deposit)				735.41
				\$231,570.84

BONDS IN HANDS OF COMMISSIONERS

- J. L. McLean, city marshal, \$1000, in American Surety Co. of New York, expires January 4, 1911.
- H. W. Little, city clerk, \$3000, in Massachusetts Bonding & Ins. Co., expires January 6, 1911.
- H. F. Whiton, treasurer and collector, \$30,000, in United States Fidelity & Guarantee Co., expires July 19, 1911.

TRUST FUNDS

In hands of Sinking Fund Commissioners and Special Trustees

THE LAW. Chapter 322.

An act to provide for the auditing of certain trust funds and accounts.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 1. It shall be the duty of city and town auditors at least once every year, and so much oftener as they may deem it necessary, to audit the accounts of the trustees of any property, the principal or income of which, in whole or in part, was bequeathed or given in trust for the benefit of the city or town or any part thereof, or for the benefit of the inhabitants of the city or town or any part thereof, and to examine and estimate the funds, securities and evidences of property held by such trustees. City and town auditors shall include in their annual reports a report of such auditing and investigation; and if they discover any fraud or irregularity they shall immediately report the same to the mayor and treasurer of the city or to the selectmen and treasurer of the town.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the trustees designated in section one hereof to give city and town auditors free access to their accounts, funds, securities and evidences of property; and any such trustee who refuses to exhibit his trust accounts, funds, securities and evidences as aforesaid shall be subject to a fine of not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars.

Section 3. This act shall be construed as applying only to property held in trust for public uses. (Approved May 9, 1904).

Trust funds in which the City of Newburyport and its inhabitants are interested may be divided into two classes, viz: funds bequeathed or given direct to the city, and funds given to special trustees, the income of which is used for the benefit of any of its inhabitants.

The first class is invested by the Sinking Fund Commissioners as trustees under ordinance, and the income turned over to the city. The city is responsible for such funds and they have always been verified and audited by the city auditor.

The second class is invested by special trustees appointed by the donor, and such boards fill their own vacancies. It would seem that the city had assumed no responsibility for such funds, and it may be a question if they come under the preceding law.

I would report, however, that all such trustees have been requested to allow examination of said funds and accounts, and in all cases have granted permission and assisted in many ways.

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Trust Funds—continued

Trust funds held by Sinking Fund Commissioners have been verified and the income traced to its proper accounts.

The Atkinson fund and Atwood fund, both held by special trustees, have been audited and securities found to agree with the treasurer's report.

The Peabody fund and public library building fund, held by special trustees, the treasurer at present being out of town, arrangements have been made for an audit upon his return.

Putnam fund books have been audited and securities examined and found to agree with the treasurer's annual report.

The Wheelwright fund. The accounts of the treasurer for the year ending October 31, 1910, have been audited and found correct; also the securities have been counted and found to agree with the treasurer's accounts. The fund is well invested and its condition indicates care and attention on the part of the trustees.

The following is a consolidated statement of the condition of said funds:

In hands of Sinking Fund Commissioners as Trustees.

Total amount of funds Dec. 18, 1909..... \$138,233.28

RECEIPTS

A. E. Cutter fund, interest added to bank deposit	\$	36.90	
S. W. Marston fund, " "		38.58	
E. S. Moseley fund " "		34.82	
Municipal Building Fire Insurance fund, interest added to bank deposit.....		759.43	
Income from funds		5,182.72	
Received of estate of Charles W. Bradstreet, for public library		1,000.00	
Received from estate of Helen B. Bowler, for Bartlett Mall		10,000.00	
			17,052.45
			\$155,285.73

PAYMENTS

City of Newburyport for purposes donated.....		5,182.72
Total funds Dec. 17, 1910.....		\$150,103.01

Trust Funds—continued

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

And Purposes for Which Income is Used.

NAME OF FUND	INVESTMENT	DATE DUE	AMT.	INCOME	PURPOSES
Balch Fund	First National Bank, city	Demand	\$10,000.00		Bartlett Mall
J. M. Bradbury	Inst. for Savings	" "	1,000.00	\$40.00	General use of library
C. W. Bradstreet	Five-Cts. Savings Bank	" "	1,000.00	30.00	" "
John Bromfield	Mass. Hosp. Life Ins. Co.	" "	10,000.00	412.50	Sidewalks and trees
Moses Brown	Five-Cts. Savings Bank, city	" "	5,000.00		Schools
	Prov. Inst. for Sav., Amesby	" "	5,000.00		"
	Inst. for Savings, city	" "	5,000.00	600.00	"
A. E. Cutter	N'port 3 1-2 p. c. sewer bds.	Sept. 1, 1931	3,000.00	105.00	General use of library
	Five-Cts. Savings Bank, city	Demand	950.67	36.90*	" "
Timothy Dexter	American Tel. & Tel. 4 p.c.	July 1, 1929	2,000.00		Poor
	Inst. for Savings, city	Demand	137.50	84.11	"
W. H. P. Dodge	Boston 3 1-2 p. c. bonds	July 1, 1919	2,000.00		Books & papers, library
	Inst. for Savings, city	Demand	645.00	95.80	" " "
L. M. Follansbee	Amer. Tel. & Tel. 4 p.c. bds.	July 1, 1929	3,000.00		Poor
	Inst. for Savings, city	Demand	206.25	126.18	"
J. A. Frothingham	Haverhill Savings Bank	" "	1,000.00	42.50	Books for library
S. A. Green	Salem Five-Cts. Sav. Bk.	" "	2,000.00	80.00	" "
George Haskell	Boston 3 1-2 p. c. bonds	July 1, 1919	1,000.00		Books & papers, library
	Inst. for Savings, city	Demand	72.50	37.88	" " "
S. W. Marston	N'port 3 1-2 p.c. sewer bds.	Sept. 1, 1931	4,000.00	140.00	General use of library
	Five-Cts. Savings Bank, city	Demand	994.09	38.58*	" " "
E. S. Moseley	N'port 3 1-2 p.c. sewer bds.	Sept. 1, 1931	4,000.00	140.00	" " "
	Five-Cts. Savings Bank, city	Demand	897.31	34.82*	" " "
W. O. Moseley	City of N port 4 p. c. note	" "	10,000.00	400.00	" " "
M. P. Sawyer	Salem Savings Bank	" "	5,000.00	200.00	Books for library
M. H. Simpson	City of N'port 4 1-2 p.c. note	" "	20,000.00	900.00	Watering streets
J. R. Spring	Five-Cts. Savings Bank, city	" "	10,000.00	400.00	Books for library
	Inst. for Savings, city	" "	10,000.00	400.00	" "
E. H. Stickney	Chicago Junc. RR. 5 p.c.	July 1, 1915	5,000.00	250.00	General use of library
W. C. Todd	City of N'port 4 p.c. note	Demand	9,750.00		Reading room in library
	Inst. for Savings, city	" "	5,250.00	648.75	" " "
R. N. Toppan	" " " "	" "	250.00	10.00	School prize
A. Williams	Salem Five-Cts. Sav. Bank	" "	1,000.00	40.00	Books for library
Municipal B'id'g					
Fire Ins. Fund	Amer. Tel. & Tel. 4 p.c. bds.	July 1, 1929	5,000.00		Replace by fire
	N.Y., N.H. & H. RR. 4 p.c.	July 1, 1955	5,000.00		" "
	Five-Cts. Savings Bank	Demand	949.69	759.43*	" "
			\$150,103.01	\$6,052.45	

*Credited to principal,

RECAPITULATION

	Funds	Income
Funds for the purchase of books, etc., for library.	\$ 32,717.50	\$1,296.18
" general use of library	30,842.07	1,215.30
" reading room	15,000.00	648.75
" benefit of schools	15,000.00	600.00
" watering streets	20,000.00	900.00
" sidewalks and trees	10,000.00	412.50
" benefit of poor	5,343.75	210.29
" municipal fire insurance	10,949.69	759.43
" benefit of Bartlett Mall	10,000.00	
" school prize	250.00	10.00
	<u>\$150,103.01</u>	<u>\$6,052.45</u>

Trust Funds—continued

TRUST FUNDS UNDER CONTROL OF SPECIAL TRUSTEES

Investment	Amount	Income
Margaret Atwood Fund—Schools, Poor and Religious		
Institution for savings, city.....	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 222.02
Five Cents Savings Bank.....	5,000.00	202.00
Atkinson Fund—Schools		
20 shares Merchants Bank stock.....	400.00	28.05
7 shares Ocean Bank stock.....	350.00	21.00
Newburyport Five Cents Savings Bank.....	1,522.44	
Institution for Savings, city.....	1,822.39	132.33
10 acres salt marsh, Salisbury.....		
Income from Common Pasture.....		29.00
Bank tax rebate		14.82
	4,094.83	225.15
Peabody Fund—Library Books		
Institution for Savings, city.....	15,000.00	600.00
Library Building Fund—Library Building		
Institution for Savings, city.....	5,732.88	1,027.00
Putnam Fund—School		
Stocks and bonds	91,663.63	4,508.76
Bills receivable	4,457.82	
Cash	87.60	
	96,209.05	4,508.76
Wheelwright Fund—School		
Mortgages of real estate.....	132,900.00	
Real estate by foreclosure.....	12,000.00	23,015.05
Stocks and bonds	365,688.00	
	\$510,588.00	\$23,015.05

RECAPITULATION OF TRUST FUNDS.

Trust funds in hands of Sinking Fund Commissioners.....	\$150,103.01
Atwood fund	10,500.00
Atkinson fund	4,094.83
Peabody fund	15,000.00
Library building fund	5,732.88
Putnam fund	96,209.05
Wheelwright fund	510,588.00
Total funds for benefit of city or any of its inhabitants	\$792,227.77

SCHEDULE OF CITY PROPERTY

December 17, 1910.

REAL AND PERSONAL

City Hall building and land, Pleasant stret, brick.....	\$50,000.00
Police station, court house, engine house and land, Market square, brick	20,000.00
City farm buildings and 30 acres of land, North Atkinson street, brick	40,000.00
Ward room, Congress street, wood.....	400.00
Library building and land, State street, brick.....	25,000.00
Ward room and land, Ashland street, wood.....	400.00
Right of Ferry way.....	100.00
Old Hill burial ground.....	1,000.00
Highland cemetery	1,000.00
Pest house, wood.....	100.00
Ward room, Purchase street, wood.....	200.00
Total	\$138,200.00

SCHOOLHOUSES

High schoolhouse and land, High street, brick.....	\$85,000.00
Johnson schoolhouse and land, Hancock street, brick.....	5,000.00
Bromfield street schoolhouse and land, brick.....	7,000.00
Jackman schoolhouse and land, School street, brick.....	28,500.00
Temple street schoolhouse and land, brick.....	3,500.00
Kelley schoolhouse and land, High street, brick.....	35,000.00
Davenport schoolhouse and land, Congress street, brick.....	6,000.00
Storey avenue schoolhouse and land, brick.....	3,000.00
Currier schoolhouse and land, Forrester street, brick.....	8,000.00
Purchase street schoolhouse and land, wood.....	3,000.00
Curtis schoolhouse and land, Ashland street.....	10,000.00
Moultonville schoolhouse and land, wood.....	1,500.00
Monroe street schoolhouse and land, wood.....	800.00
Total	\$196,300.00

ENGINE HOUSES

Engine house and land, Federal street, brick.....	\$5,000.00
Engine house and land, Purchase street, brick.....	2,500.00
Engine house and land, Congress street, brick.....	5,000.00
Engine house and land, Merrimac street, brick.....	1,000.00
Total	\$13,500.00

LANDS.

Washington park; High, Pond and Greenleaf streets.....	\$12,000.00
Cushing park; Washington, Kent, Congress and Buck streets..	9,000.00
Atkinson common; High street.....	3,500.00
Land; High street and Storey avenue.....	3,500.00
Triangular lot; Three Roads.....	200.00
Coffin lot; Hill street.....	1,200.00
Powder House lot; Low street.....	1,200.00
Pasture; Crow lane	700.00
Gravel pit; Coffin's court	300.00
Gravel pit; Greenleaf street	1,500.00

Schedule of City Property—continued

Gravel pit; North Atkinson street.....	800.00
Kent street landing	1,500.00
Green street landing	2,000.00
Winter street landing	400.00
Jefferson street landing	300.00
Bromfield street landing	300.00
Goodwin landing	450.00
Gas house landing	50.00
Pettingell landing	50.00
Marlboro street landing	100.00
Janvrin landing	1,059.00
Coombs' landing	100.00
Total	\$36,759.00

PERSONAL PROPERTY

Furniture in City Hall building, engine houses, police station and court room	\$6,000.00
Movable property in schoolhouses, consisting of desks and chairs for pupils, books and miscellaneous supplies, viz:	
Johnson school	\$ 450.00
Bromfield street school	546.00
Purchase street school	60.00
Jackman school	632.00
Temple street school	138.00
Kelley school	1,192.00
Congress street school	311.00
Congress street ward room.....	66.00
Currier school	610.00
Ashland street school in temporary quarters.....	142.00
Ashland street ward room	38.00
Moultonville school	149.00
Plains school	100.00
High school	1,550.00
Committee room, City Hall.....	500.00
	6,484.00
Three second-class Amoskeag steamers, one Nott steamer, five hose wagons, one supply wagon, two hose reels, two hook and ladder trucks, 8950 feet leading hose, of which 5400 feet is first class and 3550 feet second class, 60 feet suction hose (2½ inch), five siamese couplings, seven hand extinguishers, four double harnesses, six single harnesses, and small supplies. In care of the chief engineer of the fire department	20,000.00
Road roller, road scraper, road sweeper, nine horses, three double carts, three single carts, three double sleighs, three single sleighs, one stone jigger, three double harnesses, three single harnesses, three single sleigh harnesses, nine horse blankets, nine canvas coverings, two hokey-pokey carts, two road plows, four gravel screens, four snow plows, one single horse shovel, one iron paving widdier block, six wooden paving widders, two spirit levels, four wooden signs for road roller, eight iron signs for road roller, two tool boxes, four wooden horses, 18 pickaxes, sled runners, drills and wedges, six hoes, 12 scoop shovels, six grubs, two paving hammers, 12 water pails, one water can, two kerosene oil cans, four wheelbarrows, 13 steel	

Schedule of City Property—continued

bars, four tamping bars, 12 chains, one brush cutter, two pendants for snow plows, 12 rakes, 60 lanterns, 10 stone chisels, 36 brush brooms, seven stone hammers, two mauls, two sledges, stable implements. In care of the surveyor of highways	\$6,000.00
Furniture in almshouse; other property in or about city farm buildings, viz: five cows, 13 swine, three horses, one mowing machine, one horse rake, one hay tedder, two sets hay forks and blocks, two express wagons, two dump carts, one hay wagon, one light wagon, two sets double harnesses, three sets single harnesses, two plows, two cultivators, one four-ton 8x14 wagon scale, and other tools and appurtenances usually found on a farm. In care of the superintendent of the city farm.....	3,027.00
Standard weights and measures.....	300.00
Fire alarm	5,000.00
Total	<u>\$46,811.00</u>

RECAPITULATION

Real estate	\$138,200.00
Schoolhouses	196,300.00
Engine houses	13,500.00
Lands	36,759.00
Personal property	46,811.00
Total	<u>\$431,570.00</u>

SALARIES PAID CITY OFFICIALS, 1910

Mayor	\$1,200.00
City auditor	900.00
Treasurer and collector	1,700.00
Treasurer and collector's assistant	500.00
Three assessors, each	500.00
City clerk (no fees)	1,500.00
City messenger	900.00
City solicitor	500.00
Clerk of committees and assistant city clerk	500.00
Four registrars, each	100.00
City marshal	1,200.00
Chief of fire department	300.00
Superintendent of fire alarm and wires	300.00
Sealer of weights and measures	700.00
Superintendent of moth extermination	750.00
Tree warden	150.00
Harbor master	100.00
Agent and clerk of board of health	500.00
Inspection of school children	200.00
Inspection of animals	300.00
Inspection of meats and provisions	500.00
Inspection of milk and vinegar	400.00
Collector of milk and vinegar	300.00
Superintendent of highways and bridges	1,500.00
Superintendent of almshouse	480.00
Matron of almshouse	240.00
Clerk of overseers of poor	850.00
City physician	450.00
Clerk of soldiers' benefits	150.00
Superintendent of schools	1,700.00
Truant officer	750.00
Librarian of public library	1,500.00
Assistant librarian	450.00
Assistant librarian	425.00
Assistant librarian	400.00
Assistant librarian, per month	20.00
Superintendent of cemeteries	250.00
Captain of night watch, per week	19.25
Patrolmen, per week	17.50
Three assistant chiefs, each	75.00
Clerk of board of engineers	15.00
Engineers of steamers, each	160.00
Assistant engineers, each	20.00
Firemen of steamers, each	120.00
Hosemen and ladder men, each	60.00
Permanent firemen, per week	15.40
Driver of hose wagon, per week	15.75
Driver of single and double teams, per week	15.75

TABULAR STATEMENT OF CITY, COUNTY AND STATE TAXES

Rate of Taxation per \$1000, and Number of Polls, from 1851 to 1910 inclusive

Year	No. Polls	Valuation of Real Estate	Valuation of Personal Estate	Total Valuation	*Amount of City Tax	Amount of State Tax	Amount of County Tax	Total Tax	Taxation per \$1000
1851	2517	\$2,596,400	\$2,880,200	\$5,476,600	\$33,597 98	.....	\$5,227 76	\$38,825 74	\$6 40
1852	2827	2,764,800	2,796,700	5,561,500	43,504 74	.....	5,227 76	48,732 50	8
1853	2997	2,902,100	2,931,500	5,833,600	40,232 74	\$2,787	5,227 76	48,237 59	7 50
1854	2770	3,302,500	3,483,000	6,785,500	41,434 50	2,787	7,432	51,653 50	7
1855	2977	3,449,100	3,554,000	7,003,100	48,877 80	4,180 50	7,432	60,500 30	8
1856	2972	3,453,500	3,762,700	7,216,200	50,931 70	5,574	9,290	65,795 70	8 50
1857	2705	3,424,200	3,603,600	7,027,800	49,656 70	8,361	9,290	67,367 80	9
1858	2708	3,287,100	3,529,300	6,816,400	48,582 63	3,344	7,500 21	59,486 84	8
1859	2529	3,212,700	3,630,000	6,842,700	58,741 88	2,790	8,505 24	70,037 12	9 60
1860	2412	3,200,800	3,544,800	6,745,600	61,654 80	2,327	8,094 24	72,674 04	10 20
1861	2430	3,150,600	3,447,500	6,608,100	60,521 79	2,346	9,309 85	72,237 74	10 40
1862	2462	3,056,000	3,163,450	6,219,450	62,648 67	14,076	7,808 29	84,532 96	12 80
1863	2348	3,048,700	3,395,000	6,443,700	68,337 11	18,768	7,808 29	94,913 40	14
1864	2528	3,268,700	3,425,000	6,693,700	72,193 84	18,768	7,805 96	98,707 80	14
1865	3000	3,349,200	4,032,800	7,382,000	90,336 05	36,660	8,188 95	135,195	17 50
1866	3126	3,373,700	3,834,500	7,214,200	129,768 35	23,400	8,188 95	161,357 30	21 50
1867	2893	3,900,600	4,054,100	7,954,700	116,173 30	39,000	9,826 70	165,000	20
1868	3388	3,743,800	3,479,800	7,223,600	110,100 78	15,600	9,417 30	135,195 08	17 80
1869	3242	3,858,000	3,569,700	7,427,700	119,502 67	19,500	8,188 95	144,639 22	18 60
1870	2907	4,018,701	3,682,545	7,701,246	127,431 72	19,500	9,826 70	156,738 42	19 60
1871	3218	4,057,500	3,034,257	7,091,757	104,051 74	19,500	9,826 70	133,378 44	17 90
1872	3292	4,243,950	3,068,700	7,312,650	123,154 65	11,960	8,215 90	143,330 55	18 70
1873	3190	4,515,400	3,057,140	7,572,540	139,188 92	13,455	8,215 90	160,839 82	20 40
1874	3208	4,763,700	3,120,407	7,884,107	136,038 13	11,960	8,215 90	156,214 03	19
1875	3383	4,904,975	3,140,838	8,044,913	139,443 45	11,960	8,215 90	159,619 35	19
1876	3356	4,788,450	2,937,167	7,725,617	136,042 87	7,866	6,499 50	150,408 38	18 60

1877	•	3223	4,832,700	2,812,284	7,644,984	115,911 24	6,555	6,499 50	128,965 74	16
1878	•	3408	4,799,250	2,778,062	7,578,212	122,383 30	4,370	7,892 30	135,645 60	17
1879	•	3299	4,766,700	2,642,888	7,409,588	111,070 40	2,185	7,135 54	120,390 94	15 50
1880	•	3384	4,815,800	2,650,877	7,466,677	109,557 63	6,555	7,135 54	123,248 17	15 60
1881	•	3456	4,849,050	2,686,406	7,535,456	123,809 80	6,555	7,135 54	136,499 84	17 20
1882	•	3343	5,002,550	2,415,148	7,417,698	128,779 64	8,740	7,135 54	144,655 18	18 60
1883	•	3462	5,074,850	2,443,258	7,518,108	119,580 59	7,080	9,442 86	136,103 45	17 20
1884	•	3467	5,162,750	2,385,771	7,548,521	125,336 22	9,440	9,442 86	144,219 08	18 20
1885	•	3427	5,214,050	2,336,755	7,550,805	126,229 63	7,080	9,442 86	142,752 49	18
1886	•	3380	5,267,350	2,319,988	7,587,338	122,220 32	6,855	8,919 62	137,994 94	17 30
1887	•	3801	5,730,400	2,344,337	8,074,737	122,440 33	10,282 50	8,919 62	141,642 45	16 60
1888	•	3964	6,088,890	2,613,455	8,732,343	128,443 40	10,282 50	8,919 62	147,645 27	16
1889	•	3985	6,419,865	2,816,370	9,296,235	127,663 11	9,120	8,771 16	145,554 27	14 80
1890	•	3897	6,805,197	2,931,573	9,736,770	135,147 01	7,080	8,771 16	151,898 17	14 80
1891	•	3923	6,874,200	2,888,458	9,762,658	145,719 36	6,840	9,536 63	162,095 99	15 80
1892	•	3827	6,873,300	2,723,805	9,597,105	150,199 02	8,190	9,536 63	167,925 65	16 70
1893	•	3912	6,980,200	2,725,328	9,705,528	150,004 38	11,700	11,113 70	172,818 08	17
1894	•	3888	7,055,400	2,700,677	9,756,077	140,473 58	9,360	11,112 83	160,946 41	15 70
1895	•	3945	7,129,050	2,620,450	9,749,500	151,013 21	6,735	11,008 53	168,756 74	16 50
1896	•	3993	7,137,500	2,630,040	9,767,540	151,243 79	7,857 50	10,049 12	169,150 41	16 50
1897	•	3915	7,179,300	2,503,674	9,682,974	138,594 57	7,857 50	10,495 73	156,947 80	15 40
1898	•	3813	7,210,800	2,529,590	9,740,390	150,038 38	5,760	8,647 90	164,446 28	16 10
1899	•	3979	7,292,400	2,775,217	10,067,617	149,915 56	5,760	8,330 50	164,006 06	15 50
1900	•	4348	7,286,000	2,863,033	10,149,033	151,518 84	5,760	8,727 17	166,006 01	15 50
1901	•	4430	7,382,400	3,100,050	10,482,450	159,020 42	6,422 50	9,039 79	174,482 71	15 80
1902	•	4471	7,416,500	2,942,315	10,358,815	181,955 40	5,592 50	9,924 53	197,472 43	18 20
1903	•	4496	7,429,000	3,277,929	10,706,929	161,611 40	9,262 70	11,552 05	182,444 25	16 20
1904	•	4588	7,467,200	3,343,664	10,810,864	173,706 84	8,937 70	11,552 05	194,196 59	17
1905	•	4483	7,508,900	3,380,692	10,899,592	173,335 74	14,247 70	11,567 50	199,150 94	17 40
1906	•	4374	7,601,000	3,558,621	11,159,621	187,033 98	12,470 78	12,348 34	211,853 10	18 20
1907	•	4221	7,649,450	3,620,861	11,270,311	195,772 18	13,767 70	13,038 03	222,577 91	19
1908	•	4297	7,648,000	3,805,701	11,453,701	217,221 19	18,897 70	15,289 61	251,408 50	21 20
1909	•	4351	7,690,600	4,320,450	12,209,721	196,669 70	15,477 70	17,409 50	229,556 90	18
1910	•	4252	7,854,450	7,387,607	15,242,057	237,872 48	19,007 50	18,360 01	275,239 99	17 50

*The assessors' overlays are included in these amounts.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
COLLECTOR OF TAXES

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF

DR. CITY OF NEWBURYPORT in account current

Uncollected taxes of 1904	\$	.50	
" " 1905		2,191.92	
" " 1906		2,899.21	
" " 1907		3,895.92	
" " 1908		36,493.87	
" " 1909		56,650.88	
			\$102,132.30
Betterments	\$	1,228.19	
			1,228.19
Uncollected preservation of trees, 1907	\$	5.55	
" " 1908		199.33	
" " 1909		710.69	
Uncollected watering streets, 1907		1.92	
" " 1908		584.76	
" " 1909		1,276.98	
			2,779.23
Commitment of tax, 1910:			
State tax	\$	18,920.00	
State highway		87.50	
County tax		18,360.01	
City		225,100.00	
Judgment E. P. Dodge Co., 1907		375.94	
Overlay		12,396.54	
			275,239.99
Non-resident bank tax	3	3,611.01	
			3,611.01
Supplementary commitment, 1908	\$	8.48	
" " 1909		14,125.04	
Additional assessments, personal and real, 1910		45.50	
" reassessments, " 1910		102.37	
" " polls		160.00	
			14,441.39
Commitments:			
Watering streets, 1910	\$	3,166.20	
Preservation of trees, 1910		1,304.11	
Batterments		476.89	
			4,947.20

\$404,379.31

THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

with H. F. WHITON, Collector of Taxes

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Tax of 1905 collected.....	\$	46.00	
“ 1906 “		351.55	
“ 1907 “		1,081.86	
“ 1908 “		24,416.88	
“ 1909 “		39,648.46	
“ 1910 “		187,390.45	
			\$252,935.20
Batterments	\$	280.71	
Non-resident bank tax.....	\$	3,611.01	
			3,890.72
Watering streets, 1908.....	\$	549.48	
“ “ 1909.....		659.17	
“ “ 1910.....		2,351.50	
			3,560.15
Preservation of trees, 1907.....	\$	5.55	
“ “ 1908.....		150.32	
“ “ 1909.....		267.48	
“ “ 1910.....		727.85	
			1,151.11
Abatement of taxes, 1904.....	\$	.50	
“ “ 1906.....		371.00	
“ “ 1907.....		115.12	
“ “ 1908.....		322.64	
“ “ 1909.....		991.48	
“ “ 1910.....		14,996.22	
			16,796.96
Abatement, watering streets, 1908.....	\$	32.88	
“ “ “ 1909.....		17.18	
“ “ “ 1910.....		4.73	
			54.79
Abatement, preservation of trees, 1908.....	\$	4.00	
“ “ “ 1909.....		1.98	
			5.98
Uncollected tax of 1905.....	\$	2,145.92	
“ “ 1906.....		2,176.66	
“ “ 1907.....		2,698.94	
“ “ 1908.....		11,762.83	
“ “ 1909.....		30,135.98	
“ “ 1910.....		73,161.19	
			122,081.52
Uncollected, watering streets, 1907.....	\$	1.92	
“ “ “ 1908.....		2.40	
“ “ “ 1909.....		600.63	
“ “ “ 1910.....		809.97	
			1,414.92
Preservation of trees, 1908.....	\$	45.10	
“ “ 1909.....		441.23	
“ “ 1910.....		576.26	
			1,062.59
Uncollected betterments	\$	1,424.37	
			1,424.37
			<u>\$404,379.31</u>

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

AND

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council of Newburyport:

Gentlemen:—The Board of Assessors herewith presents its annual report for the year 1910:

The total assessed values of property in 1910.....		\$15,242,057
On real estate	\$7,854,450	
On personal estate	7,143,950	
On resident bank shares.....	243,657	
		<u>\$15,242,057</u>
Increase of valuation over 1909, \$2,972,336.		

Number of polls 1910, 4252 @ \$2, \$8504; a decrease of 99 from 1909.

The rate of taxation for 1910, \$17.50, a decrease of 50 cents on the \$1000 from 1909.

The total amount of tax levied was as follows:

On real estate, \$7,854,450 @ \$17.50.....	\$137,452.87
On personal estate, \$7,143,950 @ \$17.50.....	125,019.13
On resident bank shares, \$243,657 @ \$17.50.....	4,263.99
On polls, 4252 @ \$2.....	8,504.00
	<u>\$275,239.99</u>

This was apportioned as follows:

For state purposes	8 as per warrant per \$1000
For county purposes	7 as per warrant per \$1000
For city purposes	85 as per warrant per \$1000

The sums required by the warrant from the state, county and city are as follows:

State	\$18,920.00
County	18,360.01
City	225,100.00
Highway	87.50
Judgment for E. P. Dodge & Co.....	375.94
	<u>\$262,843.45</u>
The amount of overlay	12,396.54
Total	<u>\$275,239.99</u>

The amount of additional assessments: Real, \$4,550; personal, \$10,-776.50; polls, 80 @ \$2, \$160.

Abatements granted on real, personal and polls were including 1904, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909 and 1910, \$16,796.96.

Properties exempt by law, under Chapter 12, Revised Laws:

Religious societies, real estate.....	\$257,500.00
Literary institutions, real estate.....	105,510.95
Literary institutions, invested funds.....	78,600.00
Benevolent institutions, real estate.....	145,875.00
Benevolent institutions, invested funds.....	225,176.06
Charitable institutions, real estate.....	36,571.61
Charitable institutions, invested funds.....	289,210.64

Total\$1,138,444.26

Number or residents assessed on property, individual.....	2334
All others	206
Number of non-residents assessed on property, individual.....	243
All others	85
Number of dwellings assessed.....	3289
Number of acres of land assessed.....	4576
Total number assessed on property.....	2868
Total number assessed for polls only.....	3189
Total number of taxpayers	6057
Value of buildings assessed, excluding lands.....	\$5,329,650
Value of land, excluding buildings	\$2,524,800
Number of horses assessed.....	492
Number of cows assessed.....	294

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE P. SARGENT,
EBEN C. KNIGHT,
CHARLES L. PERKINS,

Assessors

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To His Honor the Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen—We have the honor to submit for your consideration the annual report of the Board of Health for the year ending December 31, 1910. Also the reports of the departments under its charge.

The board has handled a large number of contagious diseases, particularly measles, which extended to every school in the city. This disease was, as a rule, of a mild type, and was stamped out in the early part of the year.

While there were a number of cases of diphtheria, the disease was at all times under control and did not become seriously epidemic.

There was only one case of scarlet fever in the city, in the whole year, and tuberculosis showed a falling off of one-half. There was a marked decrease in typhoid fever cases, the record in 1910 being 16, against 60 in 1909.

The general health of the city at the close of the year was good.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF HEALTH,

Orrin J. Gurney, Chairman. (By L.)

AGENT'S REPORT

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen—Following is a report of the work done by the agent of the board:

COMPLAINTS ATTENDED TO AND CALLS MADE

Calls made	900
Notices sent	25
School rooms fumigated	30
Dead animals removed	77
Mattresses destroyed	10
Pigs removed	6
Hens in cellar	20

Rotten fruit	6
Cesspools	20
Vaults	75

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

Diphtheria	26
Scarlet fever	1
Typhoid fever	16
Chicken pox	7
Tuberculosis, all forms	23
Cerebro spinal meningitis	1
Ophthalmia neonatorum	2
Measles	809
Total	885

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM THURSTON,

Agent.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS

To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Newburyport:

Gentlemen—I herewith enclose the report of the inspector of meats and provisions from January 1, 1910, to January 1, 1911:

Animals slaughtered, neat cattle	740
“ “ calves	1220
“ “ Pigs	327
“ “ Lambs	63
	2350
Carcasses condemned	98
Horses killed	74

The condition of cattle slaughtered in regards to tuberculosis is very much improved; where I had quite a number in the past it is seldom found now. In regard to bob veal the law is confusing, as there are two different ones pertaining to bob veal, which at times make it hard to keep it out of the market. There is to be an effort made to change the law; if so it will do away with it entirely. The slaughter houses are kept in a good, clean condition. The stores and carts are also kept in good, clean conditions

Respectfully submitted,

T. D. DONAHUE,

Inspector.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF MILK

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen—I submit herewith my report as inspector of milk for the year 1910. Owing to many delays in securing the necessary equipment the work of collecting and testing samples of milk from the various dealers was not begun until April. The examinations thus far have been limited to determining the number of bacteria per cubic centimetre, the presence of pus, dirt, and streptococci, and the presence of preservatives. From April 1st to December 31st, 198 samples of milk were collected and examined.

From June 1st to December 31st I have issued 112 licenses to sell milk within the city limits, of which number 39 were issued to dealers with wagons and 73 to stores, restaurants, etc.

Respectfully yours,

R. D. HAMILTON, M. D.,

Inspector of Milk.

BACTERIOLOGIST'S REPORT

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen—I submit herewith my report as bacteriologist for the year 1910. Beginning January 1, 1910, the work of the laboratory was extended by your board to provide for examination of sputa and of blood in case of suspected tuberculosis and typhoid fever respectively. During the year 213 throat cultures were examined for diphtheria bacilli, while 67 specimens of sputum and 52 specimens of blood were examined.

The following is the summary of the year's work:

Throat Cultures:

Positive	17
Negative	196
Total	213

Sputa:

Tubercle bacilli found in.....	14
Tubercle bacilli not found in.....	53
Total	67

Widal Reaction (blood):

Positive	15
Negative	37
Total	52

Respectfully yours,

R. D. HAMILTON, M. D.

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

To the Board of Health:

I have the honor to make the following report concerning the office of the school physician for 1910.

During the year I have made 384 calls at the schools and examined 85 applicants at my office for employment certificates, according to Chapter 257, Acts of 1910.

On account of a few cases of diphtheria, I sent in for examination a total of 125 throat cultures, of which number three were positive with regard to diphtheria bacilli.

Yours very truly,

JOHN W. SHAW,
School Physician.

January, 30th, 1911.

PLUMBING INSPECTOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen—For the term ending November 30, 1910, the inspector and deputy have made 102 inspections.

The total number of separate fixtures inspected was 293, divided as follows:

Sinks	85
Lavatories	50
Baths	42
Wash trays	10
Water closets	106
Total	293

Yours truly,

CHARLES H. SARGENT,
Inspector of Plumbing.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Newburyport, January 1, 1911.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit my report of the fire department for the year ending December 31, 1910.

The department apparatus consists of four steam fire engines, one not in commission, but in working order; five single-horse hose wagons, five hose sleighs, counting two in process of construction, one supply wagon, one exercise wagon, one ladder truck in commission and one old ladder truck with a few old ladders and an old hose reel not in commission.

MANUAL FORCE

The membership consists of two permanent men at the Central fire station, and 84 call men, including the chief engineer and three assistant engineers.

SALARIES PAID THE DEPARTMENT.

Chief engineer, per year.....	\$300.00
Assistant engineers, per year.....	75.00
Clerk of board of engineers, per year.....	15.00
Captains of engine, hose and ladder companies, per year.....	10.00
Engineers of steam fire engines, per year.....	160.00
Assistant engineers of steam fire engines, per year.....	20.00
Stokers of steam fire engines, per year.....	120.00
Steward of steam fire engine and hose companies, per year.....	50.00
Steward of hose companies, per year.....	5.00
Steward of ladder 1, per year.....	50.00
Permanent fireman, per year.....	800.80
Permanent drivers, per year.....	819.00
Call firemen.....	60.00

VALUE OF PROPERTY

The following table gives the value, insurance and amounts paid on the property to which the department responded on bell alarms, but not on still alarms:

Value.....	\$117,661.00
Insurance.....	63,440.00
Loss paid.....	20,653.51

CONDITION OF DEPARTMENT

The department was in a very unsatisfactory condition when I took

charge and a great deal now remains to be done to put it into proper condition to render efficient service when needed.

Houses, horses, hose, and apparatus generally have been so neglected and run down for want of sufficient money to keep them up that it is hard to tell where to commence to build it up.

During the year the ladder truck has been rebuilt, 3150 feet of hose purchased, and repairs and needed articles of equipment procured, as far as the limited amount of money appropriated would allow.

HORSES

The Central fire station is in bad shape and needs extensive changes and improvements.

It is hoped that a new police station will be built the ensuing year, so that the whole building in Market square can be given over to the use of the fire department.

The ramshackle affair in which Hose 7 is housed is simply unfit for occupancy and a disgrace to the city.

On the completion of the new schoolhouse in ward 6, the old Forrester street schoolhouse should be renovated for the use of Hose 7 and other apparatus.

The houses of Engine and Hose 2 and Engine and Hose 3 are in fair condition, but the stables connected with them should be enlarged so that spare horses can be kept there when required, and room made for the storage of the hose wagons, pungs, etc.

HOUSES

The present slipshod method of using the horses that haul the fire apparatus on the highways, in hauling ashes and rubbish, etc., cannot be too strongly condemned, and should be remedied as soon as possible.

The horses that haul the Central station apparatus should be on hand at all times, and those that haul engines and hose wagons 2 and 3 should be kept in narrow limits.

HOSE

There are 8950 feet of 2½-inch cotton rubber-lined hose in the department, of which 5400 feet has been purchased in and subsequent to 1908, and is reliable and in first-class condition, and 3950 feet bought in 1905 and prior to that date. This hose is of various kinds and unreliable.

Seven hundred feet of host burst during the year and has been condemned.

There should be 12,000 feet of hose of good quality in the department, and I recommend the purchase of 3000 feet the ensuing year.

URGENT NEEDS OF DEPARTMENT

First—Six hundred feet of hose.

Second—The rebuilding of old No. 3 engine.

Third—A combination wagon.

Fourth—Seven pony chemicals. Four fire alarm boxes.

FIRE RISK

The fire risk has been increased for many years. All the docks have been filled, and large gardens and areas have been built upon so that the city is simply a collection of fire traps, awaiting the fate of Chelsea and other places, which have taken no precautions in the way of proper fire protection.

It is of the greatest importance that an ordinance regulating the storage and sale of fire works and explosives, and the construction of non-combustible buildings, should be passed immediately.

LACK OF WATER

In several dangerous localities I have in mind the fire department would be almost helpless on account of a lack of water to control the fire.

The water works, with its small standpipe, small mains, small hydrants, few and far between, and the Frog pond system, as they now exist, so far as being a protection from fire, are a big bluff and should be extended and improved immediately.

FIRES AND ALARMS.

There were 29 bell alarms and 60 still alarms during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS HUSE,

Chief Engineer.

SCHEDULE OF FIRES (BELL ALARMS)

During 1910

Date	Box	Time	No. St.	Description of property	Owner	Occupant	Value	Ins.	Paid	Cause
Feb'y 2	43	12:40 am	5 Vernon	Henhouse, barn and contents	Geo. J. Walthers	Geo. J. Walthers	\$ 500	\$ 500		Unknown
" 5	42	8:08 pm	122 Merrimac	Dwelling house	Wm. O'Connell	L. Crowley	1500	1000	54.	Lamp exploded
March 21	45	12:56 am	67 "	" "	Flora Young	Greeks	1700	2300	370.45	Unknown
" 25	72	12:48 pm	Moseley est.	Grass fire	F. S. Moseley	F. S. Moseley	Not given			Accidental
" 29	72	5:28 pm	City land	" "	City	City	"	"		Unknown
April 11	67	3:54 am	450 Merrimac	Dwelling house and contents	Frank E. Cole	Whittakers	2200	1900	1419.93	Overheated stove
" 18	35	10:57 pm	Market sq.	Hardware store	Carrie Low	S. H. Thurlow	9000	6000	40.	Spont's comb'n
" 22	27	11:46 pm	16 1-2 Federal	Dwelling house	Flora Donahoe	John Johnson	1025	1000	29.98	Overturned lamp
May 15	42	4:10 am	148 1-2 Merrimac	" "	John Collins	Dennis Mahoney	2100	1800	300.	Unknown
" 20	23	3:35 pm	R. Bromfield	Kerosene & gasoline shed	W. A. Dow	W. A. Dow	540	540	236.	Accidental
Aug. 19	61	2:46 pm	R. Merrimac	N. E. Boat Club building	N. E. B. C.	N. E. B. C.	4000	4000	None	"
Sept. 17	36	8:58 pm	40 Fair	Dwelling house	F. S. Haskell	Unoccupied	1200	1100	12.	Incendiary
" 28	52	5 am	201 High	Barn and contents	K. Tingley	K. Tingley	1470	1000	13.95	"
Oct. 4	67	12:30 am	Belcher ave.	Dwelling house and contents	Richard Everett	Richard Everett	2300	1600	1573.	Defect in chimney
" 5	45	6:35 pm	McKay's whf.	.....	Light from fire in stove		.....	.....	.....	Needless alarm
" 6	32's	10:05 pm	Plum Island	Cottage and contents	E. Donahoe	E. Donahoe	700	600	600.	Incendiary
" 7	32	4:17 pm	130 High	Dwelling house	J. M. Akerman	J. M. Akerman	3600	3400	60.	Chimney fire
" 14	35	7:39 pm	26 Merrimac	House and restaurant	Lucy Henry	Lucy Henry	4100	1000	126.20	Unknown
" 15	35	1:58 am	Coal wharf	Portable engine and runway	Cashman Bros. & F. E. Atkinson	F. E. Atkinson	600	500	131.	"
" 16	45	3:40 am	R. Merrimac	Orpheum Theatre	W. F. Rumlalis	L. E. Thayer	10,988	11,700	8,700.	Incendiary
" 21	32's	11:53 pm	Montgomery Bungalow		G. F. Morrill	G. F. Morrill	5500	5500	5500.	Gasoline stove
" 24	25	8:02 pm	14 Milk	Dwelling house	Patrick Toomey	Patrick Toomey	600	500	75.	Unknown
Nov. 18	35	11:28 pm	Uncorn	Barn and old junk	Paul Adams	S. Iegnys	210	None		"
" 22	36	1:10 am	25 Otis Pl.	Dwelling house and contents	Est. J. R. Bailey	M. Ajoostian	5500	5500	375.	"
" 24	27	10:30 am	63 Water	Coal office	Est. S. P. Bray	Est. S. P. Bray	No loss	No loss		Smoking furnace
" 27	34	11:00 am	37 Pleasant	Central Hall building	Wm. M. Horsch	C. O. Townsend	10,000	9000	10.	Unknown
Dec. 8	42	.....	120 Merrimac	Bottling works	C. Leary	C. Leary	2000	2000	437.	Burning fat
" 10	25	.....	80 Lime	Dwelling house	Est. C. E. Atkinson	Est. C. E. Atkinson	1500	1000	10.	Hot ashes

SCHEDULE OF FIRES (STILL ALARMS)

Date	Location	Time	Response
January	1, Star theatre, Green st.	2:00pm	Hose 1
January	5, Wm. H. Noyes house, Garden st.	3:17pm	Hose 1
January	5, Bradbury house, Ashland st.	8:30am	Hose 7
January	14, P. & R. coal pocket, Water st.	10:05am	Hose 1
January	22, Morrill house, Newbury, High st.	9:50am	Hose 1
January	31, Collins' drug store, Pleasant st.	7:04pm	Hose 1
February	2, Walther's barn, Vernon st.	12:35am	Hose 1
February	24, Berry, Dodge Co., Market sq.	9:46am	Hose 1
February	28, Electric car, Market sq.	5:40pm	Cen. sta. men
March	9, Electric car, Purchase st.	8:50am	Hose 1
March	25, Moseley's woods, Ferry road	11:55am	Hose 1
March	25, Tilton's field, Newbury, High st.	3:50pm	Hose 1
March	29, Cusack's dump, State st.	7:03pm	Hose 1
March	30, N. E. Tel. bldg., Green st.	12:19pm	Hose 1
March	31, Ireland's house, Fair st.	10:20am	Hose 1
April	5, Freight car and sleepers, High st.	12:30pm	Hose 1
April	13, Wet Wash, Pearson's wharf.	11:20am	Hose 1
May	6, Zafris stable, rear Water st.	1:25pm	Hose 1
May	8, Grass, Rawson av.	11:45am	Hose 1
May	8, Grass, Jackman pines, Spofford st.	1:50pm	Hose 1
May	9, Smith's tool house, Newbury	6:50am	Hose 1
May	17, Hein's house, White's ct.	1:45pm	Hose 1
May	18, N. D. Dodge Co., Prince place	12:15am	Hose 1
June	1, Curley house, Olive st.	9:00am	Hose 1
June	20, Haley house, Merrill st.	10:30am	Hose 1
June	24, Felch house, Water st.	4:30pm	Hose 1
July	4, Rundlett fence, Spring st.		Hose 2
July	4, Kenniston's shop, Merrimac st.		Hose 2
July	4, Railroad sleepers, rear High st.		Hose 2
July	7, Cushing building, Cushing's wharf	8:05am	Hose 1
July	7, Varina's wharf, rear Merrimac st.	9:25pm	Hose 1
July	8, Baled rags, Ferry wharf	7:05pm	Hose 1
July	11, Rubbish, Unitarian ch. yd., Pleasant	6:30pm	Hose 1
July	12, Grass, Perry and Woodman's fences, rear High st.	12:35pm	Hose 1
July	16, Drew's shoe shop, Middle st.	2:55pm	Hose 1
July	17, Newburyport bridge, Bridge road	12:05pm	Hose 1
July	29, Kelleher's restaurant, Market sq.	10:35pm	Cen. sta. men
August	3, Fowle house, Middle st.	10:35pm	Hose 1
August	13, Sedgwick house, Merrimac st.	11:45am	Hose 1
August	19, Colman's wharf, rear Merrimac st.	5:50pm	Cen. sta. men
August	20, Russell house, Walnut st.	1:15pm	Hose 1
September	4, Ed. Lunt's barn, Newbury	2:15am	Hose 1
September	9, Richardson house, Pleasant st.	5:45pm	Hose 1
September	26, Catholic convent, Green st.	11:55am	Hose 1

Date	Location	Time	Response
September 28,	Tingley's barn, rear High st.	5:00am	Hose 1
October 7,	Cressey house, Summer st.	8:30am	Hose 1
October 7,	Akerman house, High st.	4:16pm	Hose 1
October 14,	Henry block, Merrimac st.	7:35pm	Hose 1
October 14,	Atherton-Bayard, State st.	8:45pm	Cen. sta. men
October 15,	Marr's dump, Merrimac st.	11:15pm	Cen. sta. men
October 15,	Engine house and tramway	1:55am	Hose 1
October 21,	Morrill bungalow, Newbury	11:50pm	Hoes 1
October 25,	Rowe house, Center st.	8:00pm	Hose 1
November 1,	Harris house, Bromfield st.	9:30am	Hose 1
November 3,	Hidden house, Tremont st.	1:30pm	Hose 1
November 12,	Ready house, Vernon st.	7:45pm	Hose 1
November 16,	Chase-Shawmut meadow, Merrimac st.		Hose 7
December 18,	Pumping station, Story ave.	5:30am	Cen. sta. men
December 25,	Jocko house, Water st.	2:35pm	Hose 1
December 30,	Dump, rear Dodge Bros., Merrimac st.		Hose 1

PERSONNEL OF DEPARTMENT

Chief Engineer Thomas Huse, 69 Prospect Street
 First Assistant Engineer John L. Lewis, 20 Monroe Street
 Second Assistant Engineer Frank E. Thurlow, 7 Allen Street
 Third Assistant Engineer Joseph P. Page, 1½ Boardman Street

LADDER CO. 1

Name and Position	Age	Occupation	Residence
Capt. Bernard McQuade	41	Baker	128 Merrimac
Lieut. Nelson B. Ross	39	Painter	9 Woodland
Clerk Charles W. Marsh	35	Woodworker	45 Bromfield
Treasurer Ellis B. Lunt	33	Plumber	2 Horton
Steward Joseph E. McLaughlin	29	Shoemaker	1 Goodwin ave.
Ladderman Herbert Currier	46	Carpenter	42 Temple
" Christopher McGillvary	32	Lineman	28½ Temple
" Lincoln G. Bradbury	50	Shoe cutter	16 Titcomb
" Charles E. Ives	34	Driver	262 Merrimac
" Richard K. Pike	32	Tailor	75 Prospect
" Edgar C. Reade	50	Laundryman	11 Kent
" Harold C. Adams	26	Plumber	Milk
" Severance F. Hart	32	Clerk	28 Temple
" Carl E. Hardy	31	Salesman	40 Kent
" Albert D. Frost	37	Shoe cutter	222 Merrimac

ENGINE CO. 1

Capt. George W. Henderson	41	Carpenter	3 Winter
Lieut. William H. Chase	51	Shoemaker	35 Marlboro
Clerk George E. Currier	49	Shoemaker	16½ School
Engineer Charles W. Adams	63	Machinist	15 Pond
Asst. Engineer Charles B. Atkinson	42	Machinist	rear 9½ Bromfield
Permanent Fireman Eben P. Allen	56	Per. fireman	11 South Pond
Hoseman J. O. Erickson	34	Driver	7 Bromfield
" Joseph O. Evans	37	Silverworker	15 Tyng
" Ira E. Patten	41	Shoemaker	19½ Winter
" Charles A. Safford	33	Silverworker	7 Jackson
" Fred Eaton		Laborer	16 School
" Walter King	34	Fisherman	8 Fair
" Clarence W. Lowell	31	Laborer	Independent
" Samuel Dow Jr.			
" Winthrop P. Davis	30	Machinist	4½ Boardman

ENGINE CO. 2

Capt. George W. Ross	35	Barber	3 Horton
Lieut. Moses E. Wright	35	Clerk	16 Temple
Clerk George W. Parker	45	Salesman	9 Barton
Engineer Frank W. Landford	51	Salesman	5 Charles
Asst. Engineer Everett F. Landford	26	Shipper	Franklin
Stoker Charles S. Blake	57	Painter	28 Liberty

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	Name and Position	Age	Occupation	Residence
Hoseman	Thomas E. Colman	49	Engineer	2 ½ Ship
"	Lawrence S. Pray	30	Shoe cutter	24 Atwood
"	John S. Coffey	32	Combmaker	17 Oak
"	William P. Norton	33	Laborer	10 Temple
"	John H. Packer	28	Painter	1 Franklin
"	Edward H. Lang	34	Driver	12 Hancock
"	George W. Chase	31	Plumber	61 Prospect
"	John J. Welch	30	Combmaker	Bromfield
"	George E. Dixon	44	Foreman	8 Chestnut

ENGINE CO. 3

	Capt. Charles W. Genn	47	Shoemaker	42 Water
	Lieut. William Nice	41	Moulder	15 Titcomb
	Clerk, Stoker Walter R. Bradbury	48	Shoe cutter	43 Kent
	Engineer Ralph S. Bailey	49	Machinist	10 Market
	Asst. Engineer Frank J. Partelow	27	Machinist	99 Merrimac
Hoseman	Samuel T. Chase	52	Shoemaker	Green
"	George A. McKenzie	28	Lineman	40 Water
"	William D. Farrell	50	Hatter	63 Merrimac
"	Howard Packer	30	Painter	Franklin
"	Fred Partelow	25	Machinist	99 Merrimac
"	Henry D. Plummer	27	Shoe cutter	107 Merrimac
"	Daniel J. Kelleher	28	Shoemaker	100 Merrimac
"	Charles W. Howard	38	Silverworker	17 Oakland
"	Walter E. Ross	29	Shoemaker	Birch
"	Albert Marshall	28	Shoe cutter	Congress

HOSE 7

	Capt. Ernest W. Mitchell	28	Shoemaker	44 Forester
	Lieut. Wilbur C. Randall	30	Shoemaker	14 Forrester
Hoseman	William G. Somerby	47	Shoemaker	260 Merrimac
"	F. D. Huntington	57	Tinker	6 Ferry road
"	Edwin F. Jackman	40	Carpenter	7 Ashland
"	Thomas W. Mitchell	52	Shoemaker	44 Forrester
"	George A. Coffin	55	Shoemaker	2 Jefferson
"	Frank R. Langmaid	29	Woodworker	316 Merrimac
"	Charles L. Crocker	41	Shoe cutter	18 Forrester
"	William Patriquin	47	Silverworker	30 Ashland

HOSE 8

	Capt. John Wills	39	Shoemaker	5 Tremont
	Lieut. David A. Wells	40	Fisherman	6 Marlboro
Hoseman	Daniel W. Jackman	52	Silverworker	32 Madison
"	Willaim B. Porter	73	Teamster	8 Lunt
"	Wilbur S. Porter	55	Expressman	11 Hancock
"	William H. H. Perkins	70	Fish dealer	13 Union
"	George W. Stanwood	57	Silverworker	12 Neptune
"	George W. Wilson	51	Fisherman	179 Water
"	William E. Hilton	43	Fisherman	185 Water
	Albert Russell	48	Farmer	3 Oak

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY MARSHAL

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Newburyport:

Gentlemen—The whole number of arrests during the year ending December 31, 1910, for offences committed within the city of Newburyport is 511, of which 194 were of foreign birth, 317 were born within the limits of the United States, 36 were females, and 72 were minors.

Arrests were for the following causes, viz:

Adultery	1
Abortion	1
Adultery, Abortion	1
Arson	1
Assault and battery	43
Assault on officers	7
Assault (felonious)	2
Assault with dangerous weapon	2
Assault with intent to kill	1
Bastardy	3
Dipsomaniacs	2
Breaking and entering	3
Copies	2
Common night walker	2
Cruelty to dumb animals	1
Deserter	2
Delinquents	13
Detained as a witness	7
Disturbing the peace	34
Drunkenness	280
Escaped prisoner	2
Fornication	2
Idle and disorderly	1
Insane	9
Neglected children	4
Larceny	25
Larceny in a building	1
Non support	11
Maintaining a common nuisance	1
Runaway girls	1
Runaway boys	2
Rape	2
Stubborn and disobedient	4
Tramps	8
Truants	2
Using threatening language	1
Obstructing a street car	1
Violation of city ordinances	5
Violation of the food law	6

Violations of the rules of the board of health.....	1
Violation of the labor law.....	1
Violation of the liquor law.....	13
Violation of the milk law.....	2

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Disposed of as follows, viz:

Appealed	3
Bound over to superior court	16
Cases continued	5
Cases dismissed	8
Cases settled without trial	5
Committed to Danvers hospital	9
Committed to Foxboro hospital	2
Committed to Lyman school	2
Committed for non-payment of fine.....	14
Committed to state board of charity	5
Defaulted	3
Discharged by court	23
Discharged without arraignment	2
Fined and paid	118
Ordered to pay costs	1
Placed on file	57
Put on probation	16
Released by the probation officer	166
Sent to jail	28
Sentence postponed	8
Turned over to other officers	12
Turned over to parents	3
Turned over to U. S. navy.....	2
Committed to Lancaster	2
Committed to Essex county training school.....	1

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MISCELLANEOUS

Amount of property reported lost	\$1820
Amount of property recovered	\$1597
Amount of imprisonment imposed (days)	1540
Accidents reported	29
Ambulance calls	4
Assisted other officers	165
Attempt suicide	1
Buildings found open and secured	433
Cases of truancy investigated	1
Complaints investigated	1290
Dangerous wires and poles reported	22
Defective places in streets reported.....	56
Disturbances suppressed without arrest.....	52
Dogs killed	3
Escorts furnished processions	2
Extra duty, ward room, ball grounds, yacht race, fair grounds, circus	151
Fire alarms given	10
Fires extinguished without alarm	11
Horses found cast; owners notified	4
Injured persons assisted	34
Intoxicated persons helped home	35
Lights found burning in buildings	94
Lights furnished for dangerous places	15
Lights reported out in stores	35

Liquor seizures	17
Lost children restored to parents	20
Meals furnished prisoners	16
Notified to remove snow from sidewalk	81
Nuisances investigated	5
Officers for extra duty	195
Officers for extra duty at city hall	34
Over-heated stoves	1
Persons provided with lodgings	1
Runaway teams stopped	1
Search warrant for liquor, served	19
Stray teams put up	5
Street obstructions removed	9
Street lights reported out	350
Streets barred on account of sickness	2
Sudden or mysterious death, notified medical examiner	12
Water found running in buildings	8
Water main burst, superintendent notified	3
Windows found open and secured	67
Windows found broken	185
Glass in fire alarm boxes broken	24
Wagon calls	112
Horses shot	1
Fire alarm boxes found open	1

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. McLEAN,

City Marshal.

Newburyport, December 31, 1910.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Newburyport, Mass., Dec. 17, 1910.

To His Honor the Mayor and Members of the City Government:

I have the honor to make my fifth annual report of the highway department, for the year ending Dec. 17, 1910.

The past year has been one of great activity, especially in highway new work and sidewalk departments. The work was not started until late in the year, owing to the fact that there was no crushed stone or road roller available until the month of June. From that time to the end of the year the department was exceedingly busy, accomplishing more work than has been done for several years.

The following streets have been repaired: The upper side of State street from High to Temple, and topdressed with asphalt oil binder; High street from State to Fruit, Prospect street from Lime to Federal, and Breako'day hill were treated in the same manner. Both approaches to Chain Bridge were gravelled and oiled. (This was paid for by the County of Essex).

The following new macadam roads have been built: Merrimac street from Jefferson to Moulton; Curzon Mill road from the Fair Grounds to Pine road, 1200 feet; Merrimac street from the Chase-Shawmut factory to Breako'day hill, 400 feet; High street from State to Auburn, with bituminous macadam; Green street from Pleasant to Merrimac was treated with a top-coating of tarvia.

The following gravel streets were constructed: Salem street the whole length; Dove street the whole length; Atwood street the whole length and paved gutters laid; Kent street from High to Russia and underground drainage put in; Warren street from Monroe to Eagle; Maple street 100 feet; Payson street 100 feet; Chapel street 300 feet; Otis place from Prospect to Garden; Garden street the whole length; Merrimac street from the Car Barns to Chain Bridge; Moseley avenue the whole length and the hill cut 4 feet; Newhall road 500 feet; Ocean avenue the whole length; Beacon avenue 400 feet; Turkey Hill road 800 feet; Low street 600 feet. Plummer Spring road, Newhall road, Turkey Hill road and Common Pasture road were graded and crowned with the road machine, loose stones cleaned up and holes filled with gravel. The junction of State and Pleasant streets has been regraded and a cement roadway laid. High street from State to Marlboro has been picked up and resurfaced.

New cement crossings have been constructed at the following places: State street at Market square, State street at Middle, State street at Essex, State street on both sides of Pleasant, State street at Temple, State street just above Harris, Essex street at State, Charter street at State street, Pleasant street at State, Temple street at State, Prospect street at State, Harris street at State and gutter laid, Harris street at State and gutter laid, Garden street at State, Pleasant street at Titcomb, Horton street at Federal and gutter laid, Beck street at Federal, Bromfield street at Chestnut, Bromfield street at Purchase, Kent street at Monroe, Monroe street at Kent, Washington street at Boardman and gutter laid, Boardman street at Washington.

All of the old stone crossings on High street, below State, have been removed; also on Merrimac street, from Strong to Kent.

I would make the following recommendations for street improvement: That \$2000 be appropriated for High street; \$2000 for Merrimac street; \$2500 for State and Pleasant streets (and that the street railway be instructed to set their tracks at the grade made by the city); \$900 for Inn street; \$1000 for Water street; \$500 for Market square; these to be special appropriations.

High, Merrimac and part of Water street can be repaired by picking them up with the road roller, then regrade and apply some bituminous binder. Only a small amount of new material would be needed.

The old block pavers in our streets should be removed and replaced with different material as soon as practicable.

A paved gutter should be laid on the northerly side of Forrester street. Broad, Oakland, Monroe from Warren to Broad, and Tyng street should be repaired.

A paved gutter should be laid on both sides of Parsons street, northerly side of Salem street, and the lower side of Madison and Neptune streets.

Market square should be regraded, by raising the lower side, from the Market House to Marshall's store.

The junction of Middle and Fair streets should be repaired. State street from High to the Newbury line should be repaired and the street railway raised to the proper grade. Winter street from Washington to High should be repaired with bituminous macadam.

The junction of Winter and Merrimac streets should be reconstructed. (I would suggest concrete).

The junction of Pleasant and Green streets should also be reconstructed.

I would recommend that the superintendent be authorized to purchase three tank cars of asphalt oil or tarvia (tarvia preferred) to be delivered at such times as it may be needed.

It would be economy to use less crushed stone and more bituminous binder in repairing our macadam roads, as a macadam road without some kind of a binder will not stand the present day traffic.

SIDEWALKS AND EDGESTONES.

Considerable improvement has been made in this department and a large amount of new work done, especially in the construction of granolithic walks. More of this kind of work has been constructed during the past year than in all previous years.

Following is a list of the walks built: 27 yards on Tyng street, 21½ yards on Strong street, 267 yards on Ashland street, 43 yards on Lime street, 79 yards on Merrimac street, 85 yards on Greenleaf street, 55 yards on Hale's court, 900 yards on State and Pleasant streets, 81 yards of tar concrete on Vernon street and Vernon court, 2476 yards of tar concrete has been repaired and retopped, 1000 feet of cinder sidewalk on Hill street, 400 feet of cinder sidewalk with gravel top on Lime street, 400 feet of cinder sidewalk with gravel top on Jackson street, 200 feet of cinder sidewalk with gravel top on Payson street, 100 feet of cinder sidewalk on Dexter street, 100 feet of gravel sidewalk on Congress street, 600 feet of gravel sidewalk on both sides of Chapel street, 400 feet of gravel sidewalk on Merrimac street, 100 feet of gravel sidewalk on High street.

A vast improvement has been made at the corner of Prospect street and Otis place by the regrading of the same.

I would recommend the use of granolithic for sidewalk construction as far as possible. I would also recommend that a special appropriation of \$1000 be made to construct a granolithic sidewalk on State street, and a similar one on Pleasant street.

I would suggest that the surface of any new granolithic walks be left a little rough for two reasons, viz: that they would be less slippery, and that they could be more economically built.

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS.

Culverts have been constructed at the following places: 320 feet of 12 inch on Kent street, 70 feet of 12 inch on Arlington and High streets, 30 feet of 12 inch on Oakland street, 40 feet of 18 inch at Fair and Water streets, 30 feet of 15 inch at Woodland and High streets, 10 new catch basins have been built on Kent street and adjoining streets, three new catch basins at Arlington and High streets, two new catch basins on Merrimac street above Plummer avenue.

This department should receive more attention and a larger appropriation. A new system should be started and added to each year. At present the amount expended and attention necessary to maintain it is considerable larger than the results warrant. The reason for this is that most of the main culverts are constructed of stone and they are continually in need of repair. There is a considerable amount expended each year in extending the outlets beyond the continual filling in of the city dumps. A number of these outlets could be done away with by connecting them on the streets; one outlet taking several streets.

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

100 feet of 6 inch main has been constructed on Currier court; 140 feet of 6 inch main on Lafayette street; 67 new connections have been

made, amounting to 2000 feet; six old connections have been relaid; 20 stoppages have been removed from private sewers, and two stoppages from main sewers.

The main sewers have been thoroughly flushed twice during the past year and are in good condition at the present time.

\$200 should be appropriated for new cleaning tools and a car load of pipe should be ordered as soon as practicable.

ASHES AND RUBBISH DEPARTMENT.

The work of this department increases with each year. There should be some means derived whereby some of the rubbish could be turned to good advantage, especially the waste paper; 362 loads of which is burned during the year, or about 125 tons. Some arrangement could be made to bale the paper, which could be sold for about \$7 a ton, making quite an income from this department.

3300 double loads and 1200 single loads of ashes have been handled during the past year, with which the city is making valuable land, and private parties are getting the benefit therefrom.

It would be a good investment for the city to purchase waste land and fill it in. This would give the city a dumping place of their own, and in a few years they would have ample playgrounds at practically no expense.

At the lower end of the city, in No. 2's district, all the dumps are now filled and some arrangement must be made immediately for a new one. This problem could be solved by building a cheap wall from Hughes' wharf to opposite Janvrin's landing, and when filled in could be made into a beautiful park and playground for the lower end of the city.

The system of this department should be changed. One team should be used for the collections, which could be made on different days throughout the city, and the men should be paid by the hour.

If the city owned the land at the foot of Green street, known as Riverside park, a bulkhead could be built from the Towboat Co.'s wharf to Colman's wharf. This would make a dump for the city for two or three years.

STREET CLEANING.

A separate appropriation was made whereby this department was able to keep the streets in a cleaner condition than in previous years. The public demand the street be kept in a more sanitary condition each year. The result would be more satisfactory if the citizens would assist by putting papers, etc., in barrels or boxes instead of sweeping such loose material into the street. It would be then taken away by the department.

The abbutters on Printing House square should be required to keep it clean, as the papers from this place are blown about the streets every windy day.

I would suggest that a dozen rubbish barrels be purchased and placed at convenient places about the city for the use of the general public.

STREET SPRINKLING.

Street sprinkling was done by the highway department from the first of the year until the contract was given out. A few barrels of oil were used as an experiment, but it was not tried long enough to really demonstrate its usefulness.

On Merrimac, Chestnut and Barton streets, it proved very successful, with but one application; while on State street it was not exactly a success, due to the fact that it was not applied enough.

There are several objections to the use of oil but these are overcome by its many advantages. There are streets which should be sprinkled with calcium chloride mixed with water in preference to oil.

Realizing that if the city did its own street sprinkling there would be considerable opposition and criticism created, much of it unfair, and that it would have to be done better than ever before, I would recommend that it be done by the city, as it can do it more satisfactorily and at a saving of at least a cent a foot, including repairs and depreciation. As it has been done, many of the streets have been kept muddy, and as water is one of the greatest enemies of the life of a road, it has cost the city considerable more than the contract price, owing to the injury to the road bed.

The statement made in the sprinkling committee at the first of the year, that the city of Haverhill had discarded the use of oil and tarvia, is misleading, as during the past summer they have used nearly 40,000 gallons of oil and tarvia.

A new landing of cement has been built at the foot of Goodwin's avenue by the highway department, and I would suggest that if the city is to maintain Janvrin's landing, that it would be economy to construct it of the same material at a cost of about \$800.

During the past year the superintendent, at his own expense, has purchased surveying instruments costing nearly \$400, which have been used in the work of the department, and also in other city work, outside of the regular work of the superintendent, such as surveying school building lots, police lot, playgrounds, etc., amounting to over \$400. This work has not cost the city a cent. It is becoming more necessary each year that the superintendent have at least a fair knowledge of engineering and surveying to do the work in his department.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Following is the financial statement for the year ending Dec. 17, 1910:

City Teams and Salaries of Drivers.

Income from highway department.....	\$4060.25
Income from fire department.....	2375.20
Total	6435.45
Expended	6435.45

Highway Repair.

Appropriation and income	10,784.61
Expended	10,490.29

Balance	\$294.32
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Ashes and Rubbish.

Appropriation and income.....	2720.50
Expended	2458.11

Balance	262.39
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Sidewalks and Edgestones.

Appropriation and income.....	2714.84
Expended	2728.94

Overdrawn	\$14.10
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Sewer Maintenance.

Appropriation and income.....	470.77
Expended	258.35

Balance	212.42
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Sidewalks and Edgestones.

(State and Pleasant Streets).

Appropriation	1000.00
Expended	984.45

Balance	15.55
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Bridges and Culverts.

Appropriation and income.....	1201.00
Expended	1205.70

Overdrawn	4.70
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Snow and Ice.

Appropriation and income.....	3166.43
Expended	3146.56

Balance	19.87
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Supervision.

Appropriation	1600.00
Expended	1547.54

Balance	52.46
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Road Roller.

Appropriation	2500.00
Expended	2000.00

Balance	500.00
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Miscellaneous.

Appropriation	200.00	
Expended	120.78	
Balance		79.22

Street Cleaning.

Appropriation and income.....	3725.25	
Expended	3762.31	
Overdrawn		37.06

Care of Convenience Stations.

Appropriation	100.00	
Expended	93.25	
Balance		6.75

Highway Department.

Total amount undrawn.....	\$1442.98	
Total amount overdrawn.....		\$55.86
Total balance	\$1387.12	
Transferred from highway repair to other departments	500.00	
Transferred from road roller account to other departments.....	500.00	
	\$1000.00	
Final balance highway department		\$387.12

I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation of the assistance and kind consideration given me by His Honor the Mayor, and the members of the city council, and to thank the general public for their kind support throughout the year.

Very respectfully,

JAMES H. JOHNSTON,

Superintendent of Highways.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY PHYSICIAN

To the City Council,

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1910.

I have made 747 visits at the homes of patients, 12 visits at the almshouse and 13 at the police station.

I have seen 523 persons at my office.

In addition to the patients coming under the care of the poor department. I have made 143 visits upon beneficiaries of the committee on state aid and military relief, making a total of 1438 visits.

There have been five births and 10 deaths.

I have also vaccinated 25 pupils of the public schools, and have given certificates to those who have reported for inspection.

I would recommend that this work be done by the school physician.

A list of deaths of city patients is appended.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. SNOW,

City Physician.

SUMMARY OF WORK OF CITY PHYSICIAN—1910.

	Visits	Office	Alms-house	Police Station	*S R. Total	Total	Birth	Death
January	67	52	2	..	14	135	..	2
February	44	30	2	2	22	100	1	3
March	116	50	2	1	14	183	1	..
April	68	50	..	1	8	127	1	..
May	3	9	..	2	2	16	..	..
June	43	41	1	4	8	97	..	1
July	61	46	..	1	9	117	..	..
August	74	62	1	..	9	146	1	..
September	94	59	1	1	12	167	..	3
October	74	44	..	..	8	126	1	..
November	57	45	2	1	25	130	..	..
December	46	35	1	..	12	94	..	1
	<u>747</u>	<u>523</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>143</u>	<u>1438</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>

*S. R.—State aid and military relief.

The small amount of work during May is accounted for by my absence from duty, on account of illness.

LIST OF DEATHS—CITY PATIENTS.

Hannah Henderson, 60, January 24, 210 Merrimac street, cerebral hemorrhage.

Frederick H. Calvey, 42, January 27, 210 Merrimac street, chronic nephritis.

Catherine Crowley, 70, February 10, almshouse, old age.

John A. Austin, 64, February 14, Waverly house, alcoholism.

Julia Vaughn, 76, February 24, 137 Merrimac street, cerebral hemorrhage.

Alice T. Coleman, 48, June 24, 2½ Ship street, phthisis.

David Finch, 73, September 5, 29 Liberty street, old age.

Peter Salvatore, five months, September 27, 125 Water street, marasmus.

——— Bisson, six months, September 30, 91½ Water street, gastroenteritis.

Mary Wiley, 70, December 13, 14 Kent street, chronic diarrhoea.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY CLERK

To the Hon. Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen—I submit the following report of income in this department for the year ending December 17, 1910:

Marriage licenses	\$144.00
Junk licenses	193.00
Pawnbrokers	150.00
Pool	60.00
Amusements	200.00
Recording	57.90
Burial lots	137.00
Common victuallers' licenses	185.00
Job wagons	3.00
Auctioneers	4.00
Clam permits	70.00
Miscellaneous	4.85
	\$1,208.75

Respectfully,

H. W. LITTLE,

City Clerk.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FOLLANSBEE FUND

To His Honor, the Mayor, and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I submit the 37th annual report of the Follansbee fund. This fund is in the hands of the sinking fund commission and invested in N E. Tel. & Tel. 4 per cent. bonds and the Institution for Savings.

INCOME

Balance December 18, 1909	\$230.43
Interest February 4, 1910	60.67
“ May 11, 1910	2.06
“ July 5, 1910	60.00
“ October 31, 1910	4.12
“ from deposit	5.12
“ from deposit	28.70
	\$391.10

EXPENSE

Paid Jere Healey	\$ 31.11
“ Atkinson Coal Co.	37.27
“ John H. Balch Jr.	3.63
	72.01
Balance December 17, 1910	319.09
	\$391.10

Respectfully,

HENRY W. LITTLE,

Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY SOLICITOR

To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Newburyport:

In compliance with the ordinance establishing the office of city solicitor I render the following report:

The case of Dame vs. the city for counsel fees in the water case has been ordered for trial next April.

In the cases of land damages by the extension of the water supply to the Artichoke river, Hon. J. J. Ryan, who sat as auditor last year in the petition of Marquand and Curzon cases, has not reported as yet. The Emery and Moseley cases, brought by the same counsel, have been awaiting this report.

There were brought petitions this year for land damages, under the aforesaid extension by Charles H. Bartlett, Thomas C. James, Mark A. Rogers, John Mahoney, Asa T. Newhall, George Calvin Rogers, Roswell S. Norris, Joseph D. Knight, Abbie F. Rogers and Charles E. Brown. I pled a plea that they have not been brought within the statutory time, which is to be decided.

H. B. Little et. als. have brought suit to remove a tax laid to them as trustees of the Y. M. C. A. The writ is returnable next month.

I have taken part with Mr. Dodge in the suit on the Felker bond, in which judgment was found for the city. An appeal has been taken to the supreme court.

I appeared before the railroad commission for reduction of fares on order of the board of aldermen.

I have prosecuted a number of liquor cases in the police court.

I also prosecuted one case of abortion and one of burning a building, both of the principals being held for the grand jury.

I defended the city in the action of Hale Knight to recover money which he claimed was extorted from him by the water commissioners for water which he had not used in 1903. A jury gave him a verdict of \$330.

My disbursements have been for the year \$77.68.

I have rendered a number of opinions to different city officials.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR WITHINGTON,
City Solicitor.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen—As inspector of animals of this city I herewith submit my report for the year 1910:

Stables inspected containing cattle, 97. Cattle contained therein as follows:

Cows in milk	332
Cows dry	67
Young cattle	179
Bulls	11

Total number of cattle inspected..... 589

Swine	303
Cattle condemned on physical examination for tuberculosis and destroyed	3
Interstate city cattle tested for tuberculosis.....	6
Animals reacting	0

State city cattle tested for tuberculosis.....	29
State city cattle tested for tuberlosis.....	29
Animals rejected	7
Animals destroyed	7

Interstate cattle shipped to this city for immediate slaughter as follows:

	Cows	Calves	Steers
January	18	22	..
February	21	18	2
March	20	18	..
April	12	31	..
May	8	28	..
June	21	48	..
July	12	42	..
August	17	28	..
September	21	17	..
October	30	24	..
November	19	29	..
December	30	23	..
Total	229	328	2

In regard to stables inspected will say that as far as cleanliness and sanitation are concerned, in the majority of cases the general conditions

are greatly improved since the last inspection in 1909, especially in those where milk is being produced for public consumption, nevertheless, I regret to say there are still a few who persist, during the late fall and winter, in housing in the same room, cattle, horses and swine; and others who pile the stable refuse near the animals and allow it to remain there a month at a time. These conditions are deplorable to say the least, also very unsanitary, and have been reported to the state in my annual report, besides being ordered to "clean up" and "keep clean." A word to the wise ought to be sufficient.

Within the past year I have found 10 cases of tuberculosis in cattle, and were all the cattle owners in this city to have their herds tuberculin tested, I am afraid there would be many more cases found. Until this is done the city will never be entirely free from tuberculosis in cattle, but this is a condition found all over the state, and so Newburyport is no exception.

I am glad to say there are one or two tuberculin tested herds in this city.

Up to the present time this city seems to be free from such contagious diseases as glanders, farcy, rabies, anthrax, actinomycosis and hog cholera, and I hope it will always remain in that category.

Respectfully submitted,

F. C. BLAKELY, V. M. D.,

Inspector of Animals.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE POOR DEPARTMENT

To the City Council of the City of Newburyport:

Gentlemen—The overseers of the poor, to whom is committed a general oversight and care of the poor in all of its departments, would respectfully present their 32nd annual report.

GENERAL STATEMENT

For support of the poor residing at the city farm.....	\$3,063.70
For salaries	3,042.08
For board of feeble minded and criminals	74.46
For relief of poor residing in the city.....	5,045.93
For relief of poor residing in other cities, settlement in Newburyport	1,241.77
For medicine	300.00
For hospital	317.00
For fuel	1,369.23
	\$14,454.17
Appropriation	\$12,000.00
Income received	1,986.83
Overdrawn	467.34
	\$14,454.17

DETAILED EXPENSES

Flour	\$ 811.86
Tea	130.88
Sugar	472.20
Beans	27.66
Soap	17.25
Crackers	206.41
Fish	163.04
Wood	237.50
Coal	1,138.18
Shoes	182.65
Clothing	197.51
Rent	877.00
Salaries	3,042.08
Hospital	731.05
Paid other towns	1,231.57
Supplies to city farm	1,832.16
Office expenses	32.90
Overseers' expenses	12.25
Grocers' supplies	614.79
Grain	539.00

Cash	880.00
Telephone	98.47
Burials	92.15
Medicine	320.00
Carriage hire	11.50
Miscellaneous	163.04
Pork	103.50
Rice	23.75
Kerosene oil	25.75
Milk for sick	54.18
Dry goods, city farm	95.80
Freight on flour	88.14
	\$14,454.17

RECEIPTS—AID RETURNED

From state, for aid rendered state poor	\$389.20
From Boston	18.00
From North Easton	100.50
From Cambridge	31.00
From Lynn	83.00
From Salem	28.00
From Chelsea	250.86
From Haverhill	130.39
From Ipswich	253.57
From Methuen	2.50
From Rowley	6.00
From Amesbury	266.83
From Marlboro	22.85
From sale of produce	137.90
From board of health	131.23
From sale of empty barrels	3.00
From returned aid	131.50
	\$1,986.83

CITY FARM

The city farm during the past year has been under the care of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Twombly.

An average of 28 persons have resided in the home at a cost of \$3.20 per week.

PRODUCTS OF CITY FARM

The products of the city farm during the year were: 38 tons hay, 120 bushels corn, 25 bushels onions, 375 bushels potatoes, 15 bushels carrots, 65 tons ensilage, 65 squashes, 200 cabbage, 832 pounds butter, 450 pounds lard, 3000 pounds hogs dressed.

OUTSIDE RELIEF.

Outside relief, which last year was granted to 261 persons, this year has been granted to 240 persons, and are classed as follows: 160 having settlement in Newburyport, 60 having settlement in other places, 20 having no settlement in the state, making a total of 240 persons who have been assisted during the year.

ATWOOD AND DEXTER FUNDS

The income of the Atwood and Dexter funds has been placed in the

hands of the overseers of the poor, to assist worthy persons who might be temporarily in need.

Wards 1 and 2.

Cash on hand January 1, 1910.....	\$269.74
Received one-third income Dexter fund.....	41.48
Received one-third income Atwood fund.....	86.40
Total Receipts	397.62
Assisted 20 persons from 50 cents to \$5.68.....	53.18
Cash on hand January 1, 1911.....	\$344.44

Wards 3 and 4.

Cash on hand January 1, 1910.....	\$ 81.80
Received one-third income Dexter fund.....	41.60
Received one-third income Atwood fund.....	86.40
Total receipts	209.80
Assisted 24 persons from \$1 to \$7.25.....	84.21
Cash on hand January 1, 1911.....	\$125.59

Wards 5 and 6.

Cash on hand January 1, 1910.....	\$144.37
Received one-third income Dexter fund.....	41.48
Received one-third income Atwood fund.....	86.40
Total receipts	272.25
Assisted 34 persons from \$1 to \$5.....	101.68
Cash on hand January 1, 1911.....	\$170.57

EDMUND M. DOW,
JOHN W. SARGENT,
HERBERT PATTEN,

Overseers of the Poor.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To His Honor the Mayor and Honorable Board of Aldermen:

I herewith present you with the annual report of the weights and measures department of the city of Newburyport for the fiscal year ending December 17, 1910:

I wish to thank the city officials, the manufacturers and merchants for for the courteous manner in which I have been received by all in the discharge of my duties.

There have been some additions to the working equipment the past year, an office has been equipped, and the department will now compare favorably with like departments throughout the state.

I have seized a number of weights and measures, and the same will be destroyed at the proper time. I found that a large number of the merchants were not informed in regard to the law, and were somewhat surprised when I condemned weights, scales and measures in their possession. They were, however, willing and made no complaint when I took the same away. In every case new weights, scales and measures were obtained to replace those seized.

The following coal dealers have had their coal scales overhauled and put in first-class shape: (I will say that the P. & R. Co., Atkinson Coal Co. and J. Healey do this once a year and sometimes more). Atkinson Coal Co., S. P. Bray, J. Collins, P. & R. Co., Varina Co., Warner Cotton Mills and J. Healey.

The following number of weights, scales and measures have been seized: Measures 27, weights 21, scales 15, milk bottles 15.

Milk carts held up and inspected 21, junk men and peddlers 32, stores inspected at different times from regular work and test weighings taken 173.

INCOME

Appropriation	\$725.00
Transferred to this department.....	50.00
	775.00

EXPENDITURES

Salary of inspector of weights and measures.....	\$700.00
Office equipment and working equipment.....	50.44
	754.44
Balance to general treasury	\$24.56
Fees and adjusted charges collected and paid to city treasurer...	\$154.02

In addition to my regular work I was designated as the official for the city to see that all city fuel was delivered as per contract. I did the work faithfully and rendered the city auditor a report of the same.

The following was delivered:

Public library	21 loads	68,700 pounds
City farm	89 "	311,785 "
Curtis school	26 "	82,196 "
Davenport school	13 "	49,500 "
Temple street school	7 "	22,150 "
Purchase street school	3 "	9,460 "
Moultonville school	5 "	22,200 "
Johnson school	10 "	37,400 "
Bromfield street school	13 "	42,590 "
Jackman school	48 "	153,620 "
High school	52 "	169,050 "
Storey avenue school	3 "	11,220 "
Kelley school	41 "	131,500 "
Steamer No. 3	12 "	36,770 "
Hose No. 8	7 "	21,400 "
Hose No. 7	3 "	9,830 "
Steamer No. 2	11 "	35,310 "
Central fire station	26 "	81,040 "
City hall	28 "	89,400 "
Currier school	14 "	50,730 "
Ward room	2 "	9,170 "

The following is an inventory of property owned by the city: One sealer's scale support, one roll top desk, two office chairs, two balances for verifying weights, one sealer's stake, one sealer's iron, one graduate, one bit stock, one hammer, one yard stick, one dry measure guage, 150 paper seals, 20 lead seals, one hand sealing press, three rubber seals, six steel seals, one portable drill, 100 C. D. tags, 10 pounds lead, two receipt books, one record book, one coal reweighing book.

Weights—Forty-eight 50 lb., one 25 lb., one 20 lb., one 10 lb., two 5 lb., one 4 lb., one 2 lb., three 1 lb., one 8 oz., one 4 oz., one 2 oz., one 1 oz., one 1-2 oz., one 1-4 oz., one 1-8 oz., one 1-16 oz.

Dry measure—One 1-4 bushel, one 1-8 bushel, one 1-16 bushel, one 1-32 bushel.

Liquid measure—One gallon, one 1-2 gallon, one quart, one pint, one 1-2 pint, One gill.

Molasses measure—One gallon, one 1-2 gallon, one quart.

The following is a detailed report of the work done:

	Adjusted	Sealed	Cond'm'd
Platform scales (over 5000 lbs.)	3	29	1
Platform scales (under 5000 lbs.)	7	89	9
Computing scales	2	21	4
Slot weighing scales	..	6	1
All other scales	28	256	28
Weights	148	1072	68
Dry measure	..	685	20
Liquid (other than milk jars)	..	406	52
Milk jars	..	2036	125
Linear measures	..	37	4

	Adjusted	Sealed	Cond'm'd
Other measuring machines	15	15	1
Oil and molasses pumps	15	15	19
Total	203	4652	332

Number of loads of coal reweighed 42, underweight 13, overweight 13; the error in weights was allowable, one weighing small in all cases.

Number of loads of charcoal measured, 10.

State standards in custody of city treasurer—One each 50, 25, 20, 10, 5, 4, 2, 1 pounds; one each 8, 4, 2, 1, 1-2, 1-4, 1-8, 1-16 oz.; one each 1-2, 1-4, 1-8, 1-16, 1-32 bushels; one each 4, 2, 1 quarts; one each 1, 1-2, pints; one each 1 gill; one yard stick, (1 kilogram), (Metric standards, grams, decigrams and centigrams); one balance.

Yours respectfully,

ORRIN J. WELCH,

Sealer Weights and Measures.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
WATER DEPARTMENT

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council, City of Newburyport:

Gentlemen—The 15th annual report of the board of water commissioners for the year ending December 17, 1910, is hereby presented.

Notwithstanding the very severe drought of the past year the water supply has been more than ample at all times, the main pond at the station having been full all summer.

At the Artichoke river station another pump and engine are being installed. At present we are depending upon this source for practically all our supply, and as the pump there has been run practically all the time since it was started, we deemed it wise to be prepared against accident, by having a duplicate set installed. Proposals were asked for and the contract awarded to the Deane Steam Pump Co., for \$5080. They have practically completed their work and the machinery will be started for a test in a few days. This will give us sufficient capacity at this station all the time and allow one set of pumps to remain in reserve, most of the time, as a safeguard against accident.

The dam at Curzon's Mill Road has been raised two and one-half feet, bringing it about to the level of the roadbed and considerably above high water mark. This should prevent any such deplorable occurrence as took place during the high tide of last December.

At the main pumping station a new six-inch suction pipe has been laid for the condenser pump. Another large filter has been constructed in the Moulton field, and the general repairs, necessary to keep the plant in good running order, have been made.

MAIN PUMPING STATION

At numerous times during the past summer it has been necessary to run the present pumps to their full capacity, and the commissioners have given much thought to the installation of a new and larger set of pumps, realizing that, with the constantly increasing consumption of water, and the continuous running of these pumps, day and night, an accident might occur at any time whereby the necessary amount of water in case of a serious fire would not be available.

We addressed a letter of recommendation in relation to this to the city

council of 1910, but it was so late in the season no definite action was taken. We would request that this matter be taken up by the present city government as soon as possible.

The following is the pumping record for the year:

December, 1909	28,463,398	gallons
January, 1910	28,659,279	"
February	25,552,720	"
March	27,426,045	"
April	28,375,758	"
May	29,619,734	"
June	31,277,614	"
July	38,382,999	"
August	33,120,735	"
September	32,118,805	"
October	32,035,861	"
November	32,268,194	"
Daily average	1,006,304	"
Number of pounds of coal used during the year.....	1,368,018	
Daily average	3,742	

Sixty-one service pipes have been laid during the year, requiring 3235 feet 6 inches of pipe.

170 feet 6-in. iron pipe has been laid in Lafayette street.	
442 " 6-in. " " Ocean avenue.	
2195 " 6-in. " " High street.	
350 " 2-in. " " High street	
1529 " 2-in. " " Parker street.	

In response to the request of the chief engineer of the fire department, new large-sized hydrants have been installed on State at Essex street, on Pleasant at Unicorn street, and on Bromfield at Chestnut street. The small ones on State street at the Wolfe Tavern and First National bank, and on High at Market street, have been replaced by larger ones, thereby adding to the efficiency of the fire service.

All bills against this department are paid with the exception of the balance due on the contract for the pump at Artichoke river station, \$2540, not yet due.

For the financial figures of the year you are referred to the report of the treasurer which is attached.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. HIGGINS,
W. HERBERT NOYES,
CHARLES A. BLISS,
EDWARD A. HALE,
JOHN W. WINDER,

Water Commissioners.

Newburyport, January 3, 1911.

NEWBURYPORT WATER WORKS

Receipts from December 18, 1909, to December 17, 1910

Receipts from water rates	\$39,968.03	
“ meter rates	7,714.86	
“ city, fire service	3,500.00	
“ city, public buildings	1,500.00	
“ city, street sprinkling	598.61	
“ sundry water receipts	56.03	
Total receipts for water		\$53,337.53
Receipts from interest	\$ 115.88	
“ service pipe construction	414.22	
“ extension of mains	2,317.88	
“ new supply	100.00	
“ hydrant construction	109.50	
“ general maintenance	25.22	
“ service pipe maintenance	9.24	
“ pumping station	218.38	
“ hydrant	60.14	
“ Pumping station, Artichoke river	16.14	
		3,386.60
Total receipts		
		\$56,724.13

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

From December 18, 1909, to December 17, 1910

Paid city of Newburyport for interest on bonds..	\$12,575.00	
Paid city of Newburyport to retire bonds.....	14,000.00	
		\$26,575.00

CONSTRUCTION

New pump and engine, Artichoke river	\$ 2,911.47	
Extension of mains	2,758.66	
Extension of mains, Newbury	2,257.25	
Service pipe construction	1,001.45	
Service pipe construction, Newbury	652.43	
Hydrant construction	617.85	
New supply	807.85	
New supply, Artichoke river dam	215.00	
New supply, new filter	547.86	
New meters	33.10	
		11,802.92

MAINTENANCE

General maintenance	\$ 3,635.27	
Artichoke river pumping station maintenance...	2,066.78	
Pumping station maintenance.....	7,694.52	
Street standpipe	171.79	
Service pipe	573.78	
Main pipe	220.81	
Hydrant	180.59	
Gate	122.60	
Reservoir	10.10	
Filter beds	163.83	
Meter	41.43	
Sundry water receipts	2.00	
		14,883.50
Total expenditures		
		\$53,261.42

ANNUAL REPORTS

SUMMARY

Cash on hand December 18, 1909, as per last report.....	\$ 1,684.04
Received during the year	56,724.13
	58,408.17
Expended during the year	53,261.42
Balance December 17, 1910	\$5,146.75

TRIAL BALANCE

Dec. 17, 1910		
	Debit	Credit
Construction	\$265,915.19	
Real estate	19,171.52	
Water rates	6,748.78	
Cash	5,146.75	
Profit and loss		\$290,233.46
Commitment		6,748.78
	\$296,982.24	\$296,982.24

HARRY S. NOYES, Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
PUBLIC LIBRARY

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Newburyport, December 27, 1910.

Voted, That the annual report of the public librarian, with accompanying papers, be incorporated with the directors' report; that the secretary be hereby authorized to sign the names of the members of the board, and forward the same to the city council, as the annual report

JOHN D. PARSONS,

Secretary.

TRUSTEES OF THE LIBRARY—1910

Mayor, Robert E. Burke

Aldermen Charles E. Coffin, George S. Lang, Laurens C. Emery, David P.
Page, Paul T. Winkley, George C. Howard, Norman Russell

DIRECTORS OF THE LIBRARY

Robert E. Burke, mayor.....	ex-officio
Norman Russell, president of board of aldermen.....	"
Harry E. Hewitt, president of common council.....	"
Lawrence B. Cushing, trustee of building fund.....	"
Charles W. Moseley ".....	"
Fred S. Moseley ".....	"
James E. Fowle, term expires.....	1910
Moses Brown ".....	1911
George W. Brown ".....	1912
William C. Coffin ".....	1913
Arthur P. Brown ".....	1914
Thomas R. Heal; ".....	1915
Edward G. Moody ".....	1916

TRUSTEES OF THE PEABODY FUND

John J. Currier, Lawrence B. Cushing, Charles W. Moseley, Fred. S. Mose-
ley, Thomas C. Simpson

Librarian	John D. Parsons
Assistants	Effie A. Tenney
	Elizabeth S. Thurston
	Helen E. Tilton
	Alice W. Toppan
Janitor	John J. Kelley

DIRECTORS' REPORT

To His Honor the Mayor and the City Council:

Gentlemen—The 55th annual report of the directors of the public library is herewith submitted. Your attention is called to the accompanying report of the public librarian and other officers, which contain detailed information as to the condition of the library, its finances, trust funds, etc. These are adopted and incorporated as a part of this report.

ROBERT E. BURKE,
NORMAN RUSSELL,
HARRY E. HEWITT,
LAWRENCE B. CUSHING,
CHARLES W. MOSELEY,
FRED S. MOSELEY,
JAMES E. FOWLE,
MOSES BROWN,
GEORGE W. BROWN,
WILLIAM C. COFFIN,
ARTHUR P. BROWN,
THOMAS R. HEALY,
EDWARD G. MOODY,

Directors.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

In accordance with the rule requiring the librarian annually to make and present a detailed and circumstantial report of the condition and increase of the library during the year, I herewith offer the following:

At the close of the library year, November 30, 1909, there was reported a total of 43,727 volumes on the shelves or accounted for. Since the date of that report additions have amounted to 1,455 volumes, 1,168 by purchase, 143 by binding in permanent form magazines and other periodicals, and 144 by donation. Cancellations account for 117 and an error in last year's report for 60, leaving a total of 45,005 at this date.

In addition to this 100 pamphlets of special historical value have been put into pamphlet binders at the library and placed on the shelves where they are quicker of access. The library owns hundreds of pamphlets, the accumulation of years, many of which have been temporarily catalogued, and they are being added to from time to time. It is hoped that in time all of any special value will be rendered as easily available as the regularly bound volumes. Many of these publications are of absolutely no value save as waste paper, but by careful searching now and then some of real historical account are found, and many others which it is worth while to preserve.

There are 8,071 registered borrowers, 1,263 of whom hold the additional card which entitles them to draw a second book, other than fiction, and there are 46 teachers' cards out, each one of whom is allowed to draw 10 books at one time for use in school work, making a total of 9,774 borrowers' cards in force at present.

In this time 54,009 books have been withdrawn from the library for home reading, of which 41,201 were works of fiction and 12,808 of other character. While something of the work of this and other libraries of its class may be learned by these figures, they do not by any means tell the whole story. If there are three times as many novels as books of a more substantial class issued, they are certainly turned over three times as fast, and the person who takes a story book out one day only to exchange it for a new one the next day is no stranger. If it were possible to give the number of hours these books were read or studied in the homes to which they are taken, it is very likely an entirely different showing would be made. Nor should it be forgotten that the most practical services to the community is furnished at the library building itself, where a moment's consultation of a volume is often of more real value to an individual than the reading of

many books, and where the way to a solution of almost any query that might arise can be pointed out. From its very nature it is impossible to furnish any statistical report of this form of service.

Besides as stated above by binding new books, 382 volumes have been sent to the binderies for rebinding and their life of usefulness thus extended at a minimum cost. This does not take into account the many hundreds which have been kept in passable condition by work done at the library. Year by year the facilities for doing this kind of work increase, owing to the efforts of those engaged in furnishing supplies to libraries, and at a very small cost for materials, until today a very complete book-binding kit is furnished at a cost of about \$10, by one house, with the assurance that the work is simple, easily acquired by the amateur, and in every way practical, which assertion is backed up by testimonials from libraries which have given it a trial. This does not interfere with the regular binding of new work, which of course is not attempted except by the very ambitious and expert, but does simplify the problem of how to keep the life in a book as long as possible, and at a low cost. It is well worth considering as a necessary adjunct to this or any library, as a measure of economy.

During the past year room and shelving have been provided in the basement for the storage of several thousand little used volumes, mostly state documents, serials, or works which have been practically superseded. The advisability of removing them from the main room is shown in the fact that not as often as once a month does it become necessary to resort to this room for a volume called for. By transferring these books considerable space is thus made available for new works, but not as much as might be supposed, from the fact that before removing them hundreds had for long been stacked up on the floor of the alcoves. Each year the building is becoming more cramped for shelf space and a limit must ultimately be reached before many years have passed.

A separate department for a reference library, preferably on the main floor, and a children's reading room continue to be wants yet to be filled before the library can be rounded out into its full usefulness to the public. A children's reading room is no longer an innovation in library work. Few city libraries which aim to keep in the van of progress are without them, and wherever they have been established the experiment is pronounced a success. To carry out such an undertaking however cannot avoid an increased expense of maintenance, as the actual presence of an attendant in a children's room at all times when occupied is of prime necessity, even more so perhaps than in the schoolroom. In addition special furnishings would have to be provided, such as can be seen in the South End reading room, where the children's department is its most striking feature and greatest success.

During the past year from time to time duplicate books, mostly juveniles have been bought by this board and turned over to the South End library. While the title to these books remains as the property of this library, they are loaned without any time limit attached, and so in a measure that library, while strictly a private undertaking, becomes practically a branch of this institution. If, in the course of time it can be made

actually so, it would only be in line of what is being done in nearly every city. But as this would of course raise the question of the necessity of a branch at the north section of the city, to say nothing of Newbury, this scheme is something which must be left to the future to take care of.

During the past summer the reading room and main hall were thoroughly renovated, the tints of the walls and ceilings changed to a lighter shade and the whole vastly improved, at an expense of several hundred dollars, which was paid for out of the general building fund. As the income of the fund was insufficient to meet this extraordinary outlay the accumulated principal had to be drawn on, which of course will unhappily diminish the regular dividend in the future.

Appended to this report are a number of tables setting forth more in detail facts of interest relating to the library, as well as reports of other officers.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN D. PARSONS.

December 29, 1910.

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PUBLIC LIBRARY FUNDS

Treasurer's Report

Newburyport, Mass., December 14, 1910.

To the Directors of the Public Library:

Gentlemen—Respectfully submitted a report of the income, expenditures and balances of the various funds of which I am treasurer for the year ending December 17, 1910:

S. A. GREEN FUND

Balance December 18, 1909	\$ 41.92
Income during 1910	80.00
Expenditures during 1910	\$121.92
	92.57
Balance	\$ 29.35

J. A. FROTHINGHAM FUND

Income during 1910	\$42.50
Expenditures during 1910	\$42.50

A. WILLIAMS FUND.

Income during 1910	\$40.00
Expenditures during 1910	\$40.00

M. P. SAWYER FUND

Balance December 18, 1909	\$ 69.73
Income during 1910	200.00
Expenditures during 1910	\$269.73
	\$269.73

J. R. SPRING FUND

Balance December 18, 1909	\$614.66
Income during 1910	800.00
Expenditures during 1910	\$1414.66
	1011.19
Balance	\$403.47

J. M. BRADBURY FUND

Income during 1910	\$40.00
Paid city treasurer	\$40.00

W. C. TODD FUND

Balance December 18, 1909	\$152.33
Income during 1910	661.41
Expenditure during 1910	\$813.74
	615.97
Balance	\$197.77

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S. W. MARSTON FUND

Income during 1910	\$178.58
Paid city treasurer	\$140.00
Five Cents Savings bank, deposit	38.58
	\$178.58

E. S. MOSELEY FUND

Income during year 1910	\$174.82
Paid city treasurer	\$140.00
Five Cents Savings bank, deposit	34.82
	\$174.82

A. E. CUTTER FUND

Income during 1910	\$141.90
Paid city treasurer	\$105.00
Five Cents Savings bank, deposit	36.90
	\$141.90

E. H. STICKNEY FUND

Income during 1910	\$250.00
Paid city treasurer	\$220.00
Paid American Surety Co.	30.00
	\$250.00

W. O. MOSELEY FUND

Income during 1910	\$400.00
Paid city treasurer	\$400.00

W. H. P. DODGE FUND

Balance December 18, 1909	\$135.40
Income during 1910	95.80
	\$231.20
Expenditures during 1910	158.85
Balance	\$ 72.35

GEORGE HASKELL FUND

Balance December 18, 1909	\$ 5.54
Income during 1910	37.83
	\$43.42
Expenditures during 1910	\$43.42

CHARLES W. BRADSTREET FUND

Income during 1910	\$30.00
Paid city treasurer	\$30.00

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SUMMARY OF BALANCES

Green fund	\$ 29.35
Spring fund	403.47
Todd fund	197.77
Dodge fund	72.35
	\$702.94

Examined and properly vouched.

H. F. WHITON, Treasurer.

PEABODY FUND

The Peabody fund, \$15,000, is invested on deposit in the Institution for Savings, of Newburyport, subject to withdrawal only by a majority vote of the trustees. The income for the past year has amounted to \$600, which added to the balance of \$455.83 gives a total of \$1,055.83. From this there have been purchased and added to the stock of books in the public library, 238 volumes, at a cost of \$580.76, making a total of 11,924 volumes which the income from this fund has furnished during the 42 years since it has been available. A balance of \$475.07, is carried to the new year.

CHARLES W. MOSELEY,
Treasurer Peabody Fund.
LAWRENCE B. CUSHING,
JOHN J. CURRIER,
THOMAS C. SIMPSON,
FRED. S. MOSELEY (by C. W. M.)

The books and vouchers of the treasurer of the fund have been examined by the undersigned, found to be correct, with a balance on deposit in the Ocean National bank, as indicated.

JOHN D. PARSONS.

Newburyport, Dec. 5, 1910.

BUILDING FUND

At the beginning of the year the building fund, on deposit in the Institution for Savings, was \$6,332.88. As it was decided advisable to expend an unusual sum of money in permanent repairs upon the building, the

bills for the same amounting to more than the ordinary income would meet, it became necessary to draw from the accumulated principal, and from it was taken \$600, which leaves the principal at this time \$5,732.88.

At the beginning of the year there was \$300.82 on hand. The income has amounted to \$241.28, and adding the sum above mentioned, \$600, a total of \$1,142.10 is given. The bills for repairs and improvements came to \$1,027, which leaves on hand at this time \$115.10, to carry to the new account. There are no bills outstanding.

CHARLES W. MOSELEY,
Treasurer Building Fund.
LAWRENCE B. CUSHING,
FRED. S. MOSELEY (by C. W. M.)

The above account compares with the books and vouchers of the treasurer, by me examined, with a balance as stated, on deposit in the Ocean National bank.

JOHN D. PARSONS.

Newburyport, Dec. 3, 1910.

BOOKS ADDED DURING THE YEAR

Number of volumes reported Nov. 30, 1909.....		43,727
Added from:		
Spring fund	605	
Peabody fund	238	
Sawyer fund	181	
*Dodge fund	64	
Frothingham fund	36	
Green fund	27	
Williams fund	14	
Haskell fund	3	
	1,168	
By binding (Todd fund).....	143	
Donated	144	
	1,455	
Cancelled and withdrawn	117	
To error in last report	60	
	177	
Net gain		1,278
Total November 30, 1910		45,005

*Including music scores

CLASSIFICATION OF NEW BOOKS

	1910	1909	1908	1907
Fiction	524 36.	274 23.70	268 22.02	240 21.72
Economics	110 7.	144 12.46	100 8.21	95 8.4
Biography	131 9.	119 10.30	138 11.33	93 8.2
Literature	111 7.6	97 8.39	117 9.61	133 11.7
*Fine arts	114 8.	83 7.17	166 13.63	65 5.7
Useful arts	83 6.	78 6.75	79 6.49	79 6.9
General works	92 6.	72 6.23	111 9.12	154 13.6
Travels, etc	69 5.	66 5.71	.. ..	.. ..
American history	90 6.2	55 4.75	64 5.25	73 6.2
Natural science	50 3.4	40 3.47	51 4.18	52 4.6
Religion	19 1.3	39 3.37	31 2.54	25 2.2
General history	28 2.	34 2.94	20 1.64	25 2.2
Language	8 .5	28 2.42	6 .49	10 1.
Philosophy	26 2.	27 2.34	17 1.39	12 1.
	1455 100.	1156 100.	1217 199.	1132 100

*Including musical works.

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS

	1910		1909		1908		1907	
Fiction	41,201	76.3	41,460	75.44	43,648	78.08	40,789	76.
Literature (poetry, essays)	2,365	4.4	2,311	4.20	2,488	4.33	2,340	4.36
Biography	1,868	3.5	2,202	4.	2,052	3.59	1,807	3.4
Travel, descriptive, etc.	1,272	2.2	1,633	2.93	1,620	2.82	1,423	2.65
Magazines	1,584	3.	1,584	2.88	1,479	2.58	1,047	1.95
American history	1,276	2.2	1,179	2.14	1,375	2.40	1,420	2.64
Economics	825	1.6	899	1.63	957	1.68	1,067	2.
*Fine arts	840	1.6	794	1.44	905	1.59	918	1.72
Natural science	812	1.5	715	1.30	734	1.28	657	1.23
Useful arts	804	1.5	683	1.24	746	1.30	725	1.35
History (not American)	471	.9	536	.97	527	.91	575	1.08
Religion	326	.6	465	.96	424	.73	548	1.02
Philosophy	326	.6	433	.78	317	.55	230	.43
Language	68	.1	80	.14	93	.16	74	.14
	54,209	100.	54,954	100.	57,365	100.	53,624	100

*Including music scores

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MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1910

January	7
February	4
March	7
April	10
May	12
June	26
July	11
August	11
September	16
October	19
November	20
December	7

150

NATIVITY OF CONTRACTING PARTIES

	Bride	Groom
Newburyport	49	41
U. S. outside of Newburyport.....	61	70
Provinces	11	8
Russia	6	7
England	—	3
Ireland	5	5
Canada	10	6
Australia	6	5
Scotland	1	2
Greece	..	1
Germany	..	1
Turkey	1	1
	150	150

Average age of contracting parties, 30 years.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1910

	Male	Female
January	14	16
February	8	13
March	13	22
April	19	13
May	10	16
June	16	21

July	12	11
August	10	8
September	9	16
October	20	9
November	12	10
December	7	12
	<u>150</u>	<u>167</u>

BIRTHS BY WARDS

Ward 1	44
Ward 2	59
Ward 3	41
Ward 4	36
Ward 5	40
Ward 6	97
	<u>317</u>

	Father	Mother
Newburyport	90	80
U. S. outside of Newburyport	111	113
Ireland	26	32
Provinces	16	22
Russia	18	18
Scotland	5	4
Germany	2	..
Canada	22	21
Italy	5	2
Australia	8	10
Turkey	2	2
Sweden	1	1
Poland	..	1
England	3	4
Portugal	2	4
Armenia	..	3
	<u>312</u>	<u>317</u>

DEATHS IN NEWBURYPORT—1910

		Male	Female
January	20	12	8
February	21	10	11
March	25	8	17
April	37	18	19
May	31	9	22
June	26	13	13
July	24	12	12
August	12	8	4
September	23	18	5
October	28	14	14
November	22	12	10
December	29	13	16

NATIVITY

	Male	Female
Newburyport	75	70
U. S. outside of Newburyport	50	50
Provinces	3	6
Ireland	12	14
England	4	6
Canada	1	2
Scotland	1	1
Honolulu	..	1
Russia	..	1
Germany	1	..
	147	151

PARENTAGE

	Father	Mother
Newburyport	57	64
U. S. outside of Newburyport	116	108
Provinces	16	14
Italy	4	3
Ireland	50	55
Holland	1	..
England	17	11
Armenia	1	1
Canada	15	13
Portugal	..	1
Germany	1	1
Wales	1	..
Austria	2	2
Scotland	5	4
Sweden	1	1
Russia	2	2
Unknown	9	18
	298	298

CLASSIFICATION

Epidemic	39
Disease of nervous system	8
Disease of digestive system	3
Disease of circulatory system	25
Disease of respiratory system	44
Disease of genito-urinary system	6
Disease of arteries	16
Violence	14
Prematurity	7
Old age	7
Unknown	1
Other diseases and stillborn	128
	298

DEATHS, WITH PRINCIPAL CAUSE AND AGE PERIODS

(Exclusive of Still-Births)

CAUSE OF DEATH		Under 1 yr.	2-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39
Accidental.....	M	...	1	...	2	2	1	2	2	...
	F	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Angina Pectoris.....	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Appendicitis.....	M	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Apoplexy	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arterio sclerosis.....	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bright's disease ..	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Cancer.....	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cerebral hemorrhage.....	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diphtheria.....	M	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Heart	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meningitis	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Measles	M	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phthisis	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pulmonary tuberculosis	M	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	1	...
	F	...	...	1	...	1	1	3	1	...
Pneumonia.....	M	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peritonitis	M	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prematurity.....	M	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Senility	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid fever.....	M	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Unknown	M	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
All others	M	15	1	1	2	...	2	1	...	2
	F	10	1	...	...	...	3	1	1	3
Totals.....		45	5	4	6	7	10	8	7	7

DEATHS, WITH PRINCIPAL CAUSE AND AGE PERIODS
(Exclusive of Still-Births)

40-44	45-49	55-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85-89	90-94	95 up	Total
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	11
...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	13
...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
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...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2
...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	5
...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	1	1	...	...	6
...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	1	2	1	...	10
...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	3
1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
...	...	1	...	2	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	6
...	...	3	1	3	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	13
...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	6
...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	5
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...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	7
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
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...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
2	2	...	1	1	1	2	2	2	...	1	...	21
...	...	1	...	1	2	2	3	3	2	...	...	20
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
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...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	4
...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
2	1	2	4	5	1	4	3	5	1	...	...	52
3	2	3	1	2	7	6	6	6	1	1	2	59
8	7	13	11	21	27	23	28	28	11	5	2	283

MISCELLANEOUS

LIST OF JURORS, 1910-1911

Published in accordance with Chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and Chapter 348, Acts of 1907, and any amendments thereto.

Name	Residence	Occupation
Abbott, Wilbur	27 Charter st.	Ice dealer
Adams, Aaron B.	15 Parsons st.	Bookkeeper
Adams, Richard G.	70 Bromfield st.	Contractor
Adams, Webster D.	32 Tyng st.	Clerk
Allen, Herman D.	6 Prince place	Painter
Atkinson, Edward B.	45 Milk st.	Shoemaker
Badger, George C.	33 Purchase st.	Shoemaker
Bailey, William H.	34 Tyng st.	Silver factory
Baker, James H.	High st.	Merchant
Ballou, Charles F.	9 Garden st.	Tailor
Barrett, James H.	60 Middle st.	Clerk
Bartlett, Jacob H.	5 Brown sq.	Retired
Bean, Wallace E.	60 Marlboro ts.	Carpenter
Benson, William C.	6 Buck st.	Carriage painter
Berry, John N. M. D. F.	1 Central place	Carpenter
Besse, Harold A.	10 Garden st.	Manufacturer
Blaisdell John C. M.	66 Federal st.	Shoe cutter
Blake, Charles S.	28 Liberty st.	Painter
Bliss, Ernest W.	10 Allen st.	Insurance
Bollman, Paul L.	8 Carter st.	Shoe cutter
Boyd, Charles E.	198 High st.	Clerk
Bradbury, Ebenzer	51 Bromfield st.	Druggist
Brown, Henry S.	9 Orange st.	Clerk
Brown, James F.	47 Bromfield st.	Retired
Brown, Moses	9 Orange st.	Retired
Carter, John N.	9 Buck st.	Teamster
Carroll, Samuel B.	4 Broad st.	Shoemaker
Chase, Thurston S.	Mosley ave.	Farmer
Cheney, Albert K.	3 Oakland st.	Silversmith
Chisnell, William	16 Collins st.	Janitor
Choate, Edwin T.	21 Olive st.	Shoe cutter
Coffin, Charles E.	324 Merrimac st.	Shoe cutter
Coffin, Winthrop O.	102 High st.	Clerk
Coker, Frank A.	253 High st.	Silversmith
Cooper, George W.	1 N. Atkinson st.	Butcher
Creeden, John J.	145 Merrimac st.	Silversmith
Currier, James P.	18 Chapel st.	Shoemaker
Cutter, George H.	236 High st.	Restaurateur

Name	Residence	Occupation
Danforth, Clarence	22½ Winter st.	Merchant
Davis, Leonard S.	33 Green st.	Clerk
DeRochemont, Benj. C.	15 N. Atkinson st.	Moulder
Dockaim, Joseph L.	Boardman st.	Merchant
Dow, Chester A.	51 Merrimac st.	Clerk
Dort, George A.	19 Oakland st.	Carpenter
Drew, Oscar F.	86 Federal st.	Silver printer
Durland, George P.	9 Collins st.	Farmer
Emery, Laurens C.	60 Federal st.	Merchant
Fisher, William G.	144 High st.	Dry goods dealer
Ford, Samuel J.	7 Charles st.	Clerk
Fogg, Greeley J.	22 Toppan st.	Foreman
Follansbee, Edmund N.	8½ Bromfield st.	Clerk
Follansbee, Henry D.	Summit place.	Clerk
Fowle, Frank O.	1 Dexter st.	Shoe cutter
Furlong, Patrick W.	22 Oak st.	Shoemaker
Garland, Augustus W.	3 Buck st.	Shoemaker
Godfrey, Henry L.	10 Neptune st.	Shoe operative
Goodwin, Abram E.	3 Central place	Salesman
Greeley, Lucius H.	78 High st.	Contractor
Greenleaf, George P.	32 Purchase st.	Shoe cutter
Grover, Charles A.	430 Merrimac st.	Shoemaker
Gould, Edward E.	48 Marlboro st.	Shoe cutter
Gove, Alfred F.	30 Oakland st.	Shoemaker
Hale, George E.	5 Harris st.	Retired
Hardy, Jerome A.	270 High st.	Assitant treasurer
Harris, Henry H.	23 Franklin st.	Machinist
Houghton, Timothy P.B.	9 Hill st.	Carpenter
Howard, George C.	19 Summit place	Machinist
Ilsey, William	6 Parsons st.	Cashier
Ives, Frank B., Jr.	8 Tyng st.	Clerk
Jackman, Daniel W.	32 Madison st.	Silversmith
Jackman, Charles H.	34½ Marlboro st.	Clerk
Jaques, Frank N.	14 Orange st.	Clerk
Johnson, William R.	203 High st.	Retired
Kelley, Charles P.	9 Dove st.	Tree warden
Kelleher, Michael J.	19 Toppan st.	Expressman
Kimball, Orrin W.	6 Lunt st.	Shipper
Kimball, Philip H.	128 High st.	Jeweller
King, Charles D.	5 Buck st.	Bookkeeper
Kezer, Walter D.	23 Ashland	Painter
Knight, Willard B.	13 Bromfield st.	Manufacturer
Lambert, John W.	45 Boardman st.	Upholsterer
Landford, Hiram H.	23½ Purchase st.	Trader
Langley, John	14 Collins st.	Carpenter
Lattime, Charles F.	Madison st.	Fisherman
Lattime, Frank L.	132½ Water st.	Merchant
Leigh, Hall J.	38 Purchase st.	Carpenter
Levy, Julius	18 Spring st.	Clerk
Lunt, Edwin	3 N. Atkinson st.	Agent
Lyall, William	64 Lime st.	Merchant
Marden, Arthur P.	15 Summit place.	Piano tuner
Moulton, Joseph L.	Ferry road	Insurance agent

Name	Occupation	Occupation
Marshall, Frank W.	13 Eagle st.	Mason
Moody, Edward G.	218 High st.	Foreman
Mullins, Henry	37 Winter st.	Engineer
Norris, Roswell S.	Hale st.	Farmer
Noyes, Edgar F.	35 Milk st.	Bank clerk
Noyes, Fred T.	21 Barton st.	Grocer
O'Brien, John J.	12 Kent st.	Teamster
Osgood, Edward	49 Purchase st.	Retired
Packard, Henry B.	22 Dalton st.	Carpenter
Page, Horace A. S.	11 Boardman st.	Watchman
Parsons, Fred W.	34 Olive st.	Editor
Pettingell, Peabody G.	20 Purchase st.	Grocer
Plumer, Frederick C.	67 Federal st.	Merchant
Poor, George E.	33 Lime st.	Agent
Poor, Isaac	28 Lime st.	Trader
Prescott, Frank B.	23 Arlington st.	Silversmith
Quincy, Henry C.	4 Summit place	Salesman
Rand, George P.	14 Oakland st.	Motorman
Randall, Frank A.	9½ Kent st.	Motorman
Reade, Edgar C.	11 Kent st.	Laundryman
Read, Prentiss H.	55 Lime st.	Salesman
Roaf, Eugene	12 Lincoln st.	Shoe cutter
Russell, Albert	3 Oak st.	Farmer
Sanders, Percival K.	7 Fruit st.	Book store
Small, Albert J.	21 Union st.	Agent
Stanwood, William F.	20 Madison st.	Conductor
Stickney, George E.	6 Titcomb st.	Undertaker
Stinson, James E.	19 Tremont st.	Engineer
Stockman, George C.	10 Titcomb st.	Clerk
Smart, George H.	163 Merimac st.	Painter
Stover, Edward B.	20 Olive st.	Bookkeeper
Stratton, Samuel	43 Federal st.	Merchant
Teague, Herbert E.	20 Warren st.	Silversmith
Tenney, George R.	5 Otis place	Bookkeeper
Tilton, Daniel E.	46 Federal st.	Grocer
Thompson, George E.	4 Orange st.	Combmaker
ThurLOW, Alfred W.	53 Marlboro st.	Accountant
Towle, William A.	46 Boardman st.	Silversmith
Todd, Edward M.	8 Purchase st.	Insurance
Walsh, John J.	7 Horton st.	Clerk
Webster, Gideon C.	26 Eagle st.	Boat builder
Webster, Isaac W. C.	26 Eagle st.	Foreman
Whitmore, George L.	5 Chapel st.	Shoemaker
Winkley, Winfield B.	Parker st.	Farmer
Young, John P.	4 Orange st.	Driver

RETURNS OF THE ELECTIONS, 1910

STATE ELECTION

GOVERNOR

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Draper, Eben S.	210	114	216	171	109	264	1084
Foss, Eugene N., D.	135	142	180	129	212	145	943
Foss, Eugene N., D. P.	9	8	24	8	..	22	71
Foss, Eugene N.	2	8	5	5	..	..	20
Nichols, John A.	1	1	1	1	3	..	7
Ruther, Moritz E.	1	1	4	2	..	4	12
White, Daniel A.	9	7	13	5	11	46	91
Blanks	8	4	7	7	12	6	44

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Cassidy, Thomas F.	99	131	165	126	187	118	826
Frothingham, Louis A.	227	119	232	170	113	276	1137
Hess, Henry C.	6	3	7	5	4	13	38
Mahoney, Patrick	13	10	14	5	11	47	100
Merrill, William G.	9	2	5	3	3	6	28
Blanks	21	20	27	19	29	27	143

SECRETARY

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
D'Orsay, Harriet	13	8	19	5	13	56	114
Martell, Charles J.	92	142	157	116	183	111	801
Mortenson, Andrew	14	3	4	1	2	7	31
Olin, William M.	224	110	225	175	116	277	1127
Thomas, William E.	5	2	10	7	2	3	29
Blanks	27	20	35	24	31	33	170

TREASURER

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Fredricson, Carl	6	4	5	2	1	7	25
Frissell, Thomas A.	3	..	3	6	4	4	20
McBride, Sylvester J.	12	10	17	12	11	56	118
Peach, Benjamin F.	97	136	162	113	186	124	818
Stevens, Elmer A.	220	112	222	169	110	263	1096
Blanks	37	23	41	26	35	33	195

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AUDITOR

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Holt, John	3	3	2	5	..	3	16
McNally, Jeremiah P.	4	4	6	2	5	6	27
Miles, Ambrose	14	10	16	11	12	55	118
Paine, Charles C.	99	132	153	103	183	114	784
Turner, Henry E.	207	111	217	172	107	260	1074
Blanks	48	25	56	35	40	49	253

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
McGoff, Dennis	6	4	5	1	2	5	23
Metcalf, Harold	20	12	19	10	17	63	141
Ratigan, John B.	89	129	156	110	180	106	770
Swift, James M.	207	113	220	174	112	264	1090
Blanks	53	27	50	33	36	49	248

CONGRESSMAN—6th DISTRICT

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Carey, James F.	28	14	24	21	26	75	188
Gardner, Augustus P.	223	125	231	175	112	267	1133
O'Brien, William H.	101	133	160	103	179	115	791
Blanks	23	13	35	29	30	30	160

COUNCILLOR

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Gove, William H.	209	113	219	173	108	253	1075
Huntington, Nathan	22	11	23	13	19	64	152
Sheedy, John H.	83	126	145	106	177	105	742
Blanks	61	35	63	36	43	65	303

SENATOR

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Herlihy, Timothy S.	116	139	200	126	199	139	919
Tolman, James E.	214	109	213	166	107	272	1081
Blanks	45	37	37	36	41	76	272

REPRESENTATIVE—25th DISTRICT

Wards	1	2	3	4	Total
Fogg, Clarence J.	256	184	281	244	945
Scattering	..	3	..	2	5
Blanks	119	98	169	102	488

REPRESENTATIVE—26th DISTRICT

Wards	5	6	Total
Beckford, Albert H.	17	16	33
Coker, Frank A.	20	47	67
Reed, Albert C.	66	175	241
Whitmore, George L.	227	227	454
Blanks	17	22	39

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Demerit, Edward E	23	13	21	14	14	77	162
Grosvenor, John M., Jr.	212	112	225	179	105	259	1092
Murphy, Patrick J	88	128	156	100	180	99	751
Blanks	52	32	48	35	48	52	267

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Hale, Frank E	23	18	21	15	17	65	159
Hall, Wesley L	22	14	14	9	12	53	124
Kenyon, Sidney P	64	108	125	88	126	71	582
Kimball, Clarence E	186	99	187	151	96	228	947
Lovett, John W	156	91	172	126	84	185	814
Sullivan, James T	65	102	123	83	157	85	615
Blanks	234	138	258	184	202	287	1303

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Atwill, Henry C	204	109	215	167	103	253	1051
Henry, William R	16	11	17	9	8	56	117
Smith, Charles D	109	138	168	111	195	129	850
Blanks	46	27	50	41	41	49	254

SHERIFF

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Johnson, Samuel A	267	195	293	230	210	299	1494
Spofford, Jason	39	34	57	38	63	113	344
Blanks	69	56	100	60	74	75	434

TOTAL VOTE

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Total vote	375	285	450	328	347	487	2272

City of Newburyport, in Board of Aldermen,

November 17, 1910.

Voted, on motion of Alderman Page, the returns as tabulated above are hereby verified and approved.

ROBERT E. BURKE,
NORMAN RUSSELL,
GEORGE S. LANG,
DAVID P. PAGE,
PAUL T. WINKLEY,
CHARLES E. COFFIN,

Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

REPRESENTATIVE VOTE—26th ESSEX DISTRICT

Town of Newbury

Albert H. Beckford of Newburyport	3
Frank A. Coker of Newburyport	19
Albert C. Reed of Georgetown	165
George L. Whitmore of Newburyport	47
Blanks	16

Town of West Newbury

Albert H. Beckford of Newburyport	6
Frank A. Coker of Newburyport	11
Albert C. Reed of Georgetown	132
George L. Whitmore of Newburyport	73
Blanks	17

Town of Georgetown

Albert H. Beckford of Newburyport	9
Frank A. Coker of Newburyport	24
Albert C. Reed of Georgetown	257
George L. Whitmore of Newburyport	92
Blanks	23

Town of Salisbury

Albert H. Beckford of Newburyport	4
Frank A. Coker of Newburyport	7
Albert C. Reed of Georgetown	116
George L. Whitmore of Newburyport	112
Blanks	21

MUNICIPAL ELECTION

MAYOR

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Burke, Robert E.	300	253	424	304	283	335	1899
Green, Fred E.	13	12	9	2	17	18	71
Landford, Hiram H.	209	92	144	124	112	214	895
Blanks	18	12	28	33	22	30	143

ALDERMAN AT LARGE

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Coffin, Charles E.	177	110	167	131	133	239	957
Hewitt, Harry E.	110	92	182	90	140	46	660
Nelson, Oscar H.	177	110	191	181	123	277	1059
Blanks	76	57	65	61	38	35	332

ELECTION RETURNS

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ALDERMAN—WARD 1

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Lang, George S.....	284	144	252	183	155	275	1293
Waters, Nicholas J.....	78	63	126	96	78	110	551
Woodman, George F.....	144	100	156	111	138	123	772
Blanks	34	62	71	73	63	89	392

ALDERMAN—WARD 2

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Bartlett, W. Lunt	104	53	60	52	55	61	385
Boyle, Charles P.....	126	137	201	147	153	131	895
Emery, Laurens C	157	55	124	93	90	183	702
Files, Orrin F.....	82	68	121	79	65	139	554
Thibault, Louis A.....	25	35	48	20	26	30	184
Blanks	46	21	51	72	45	53	288

ALDERMAN—WARD 3

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Noyes, Moody B.....	367	232	393	293	226	394	1905
Blanks	173	137	212	170	208	203	1103

ALDERMAN—WARD 4

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Winkley, Paul T.....	336	226	387	327	245	423	1944
Blanks	204	143	218	136	189	174	1064

ALDERMAN—WARD 5

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Bass, Edward	223	141	227	169	232	163	1155
Howard, George C.....	117	72	154	125	106	214	788
Lord, Charles H.....	97	61	91	70	64	130	513
Blanks	103	95	133	99	32	90	552

ALDERMAN—WARD 6

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Russell, Norman	356	241	383	316	259	441	1996
Blanks	184	128	222	147	175	156	1012

OVERSEER OF THE POOR—THREE YEARS

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Dow, Edmund M.....	321	217	346	269	192	373	1718
Blanks	219	152	259	194	242	224	1290

LICENSE

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Yes	229	200	322	246	251	205	1453
No	302	162	276	207	175	375	1497
Blanks	9	7	7	10	8	17	58

COUNCILMEN—WARD 1

Knapp, Frederick W	305
Perkins, Edward G	331
Tilton, Norman K	314
Blanks	670

COUNCILMEN—WARD 2

Carens, Frank J	213
Corcoran, Frank D	144
Peckham, George P	161
Blanks	589

COUNCILMEN—WARD 3

Clark, John H	258
Fenders, William	305
Moulton, George E	307
Souther, D. F	134
Wagman, Abraham	97
Blanks	714

COUNCILMEN—WARD 4

Bigsby, Robert T	191
Cusack, William J	213
Dickie, William A	145
Dockam, Joseph L	205
Townsend, Joseph E	164
Blanks	471

COUNCILMEN—WARD 5

Blood, Joseph P	224
Lowell, Charles H	205
Moody, Edward G	248
Ryan, Jeremiah H	203
Blanks	422

Result of recount of ballots for Common Council in Ward 5; recount made December 17, 1910.

COUNCILMEN—WARD 5

Blood, Joseph P	215
Lowell, Charles H	205
Moody, Edward G	246
Ryan, Jeremiah H	204
Blanks	432

BENJAMIN G. DAVIS,
ALBERT W. HOPKINSON,
H. W. LITTLE, City Clerk,
Board of Registrars.

COUNCILMEN—WARD 6

Bushee, David A	263
Frost, Frank O	291
Morrill, Albert H	224
Robinson, Joseph N	272
Ruggles, Edward H	192
Blanks	549

ELECTION RETURNS

191

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—WARD 1

Berry, Arthur H	336
Blanks	204

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—WARD 2

Reed, Prentiss H	231
Blanks	138

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—WARD 3

Dodge, Laurence P	379
Blanks	226

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—WARD 4

Johnson, Charles F	312
Blanks	151

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—WARD 5

Wright, Arthur H	252
Blanks	182

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—WARD 6

Little, Edward H	401
Blanks	196

TOTAL VOTE

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Total vote	540	369	605	463	434	597	3008

In Board of Aldermen, December 22, 1910.

Voted, That these returns be verified and approved, that the city clerk be instructed to notify the persons elected, as indicated by the returns and recount.

ROBERT E. BURKE,
NORMAN RUSSELL,
LAURENS C. EMERY,
PAUL T. WINKLEY,
GEORGE S. LANG,

Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE SUPERINTEND-
ENT OF SCHOOLS OF THE

CITY OF NEWBURYPORT, MASSACHUSETTS

FOR THE YEAR

1910



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ORGANIZATION OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR 1910

Hon. Robert E. Burke (Mayor) Chairman.....49 High Street
 Samuel J. Hughes, Vice Chairman.....50 Washington Street

WARD ONE.

Horton C. Stevens.....27 Bromfield Street
 Arthur H. Berry53 Bromfield Street

WARD TWO.

Prentiss H. Reed.....55 Lime Street
 Ernest Foss53 High Street

WARD THREE.

Arthur P. Brown.....46 Kent Street
 Ralph S. Elliott6 Dalton Street

WARD FOUR.

William F. Lunt.....11 Orange Street
 Samuel J. Hughes 50 Washington Street

WARD FIVE.

Rev. Arthur H. Wright.....220 High Street
 John J. O'Brien 12 Kent Street

WARD SIX.

Edward H. Little 6 Toppan's Lane
 George L. Whitmore.....5 Chapel Street

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND SECRETARY.

E. L. Willard.....Office at City Hall

TRUANT OFFICER.

Joshua L. Chase.....Office with the Superintendent

SUB-COMMITTEES.

High School—A. H. Wright, A. H. Berry, A. P. Brown, E. H. Little,
 E. Foss.

Grammar Schools—W. F. Lunt, H. C. Stevens, G. L. Whitmore, R. S.
 Elliott, E. Foss.

Training and Primary Schools—H. C. Stevens, G. L. Whitmore, W. F. Lunt, J. J. O'Brien, P. H. Reed.

Text Books and Supplies—A. P. Brown, G. L. Whitmore, E. Foss.

Rules and Regulations—S. J. Hughes, A. P. Brown, A. H. Wright.

Evening Schools—P. H. Reed, W. F. Lunt, R. S. Elliott.

Prudential Committee—E. H. Little, A. H. Berry, A. P. Brown.

Salaries—H. C. Stevens, P. H. Reed, J. J. O'Brien.

Janitors and Buildings—G. L. Whitmore, R. S. Elliott, W. F. Lunt.

Music and Drawing—E. H. Little, A. H. Berry, P. H. Reed.

Cooking and Sewing—E. Foss, J. J. O'Brien, A. H. Berry.

Athletic Committee—A. P. Brown, H. C. Stevens, A. H. Wright, for the School Committee.

From Citizens-at-Large—Drs. T. Raymond Healy and George W. Worcester.

Representing the High School—Principal W. E. Andrews, Peter F. Dugan and Laurence I. Winder.

Committee on Course of Study—Messrs. A. H. Berry, E. H. Little and A. H. Wright.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Voted. "That the report of the Superintendent be adopted by this Board as the annual report required by law: with the exceptions that we recommend those portions dealing with the special school for discipline, the new primary school below State street and the adoption of a text book in physiology be referred to the next year's board, as we are not prepared at this moment to endorse them but believe them well worthy of consideration.

The School Board wishes to thank the Woman's Club for their valuable assistance in the supervision of the Cooking School and for their gifts to the different schools, and also to the Harvard Club of Newburyport for the gift of the picture of the Harvard Yard, recently hung in the High school.

EDWARD H. LITTLE,
ARTHUR P. BROWN,
HORTON C. STEVENS,

Committee.

At the regular meeting held December 27th, 1910, the above report was accepted and its recommendations adopted.

E. L. WILLARD, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee,

Gentlemen:—The report of the receipts and expenditures of this department must be reserved for the next regular meeting which will occur after the close of the present fiscal year.

ATTENDANCE.

The records as submitted by the teachers for the school year ending June 24, 1910, show that there were two thousand one hundred forty-three pupils enrolled in all of the public schools of the city, a gain over the previous year of sixty-two. This slight increase is almost wholly accounted for in the increased patronage our schools are receiving from surrounding towns.

The extent to which our schools are used by outside pupils, may not be generally known to the members of the Board nor to the public at large.

If all the pupils who are now in the schools of the city, coming from other towns, remain through the year, enough money will be received for tuition, to pay the maximum salary of three grade teachers.

When it is understood that these outside pupils have not added a dollar to the cost of maintaining the schools, the advantage to the city in their attendance is evident.

An interesting fact brought out by the statistics is that fifty-nine more boys and girls over fifteen years of age, attended our schools during the last year than during the preceding year.

Seven hundred fifteen, or a trifle more than one-third of our total enrollment, during the last year have been over fourteen years of age. This fact means that one-third at least of the pupils in our schools attend because they appreciate the value of an education, and not because the law compels them to attend.

The average membership this year is one thousand nine hundred thirty-three and four-tenths as compared with one thousand nine hundred seventeen during the preceding year, a gain of sixteen and four-tenths.

The average attendance shows the very slight gain of one and six-tenths over the preceding year, while there is an actual loss of six-tenths in the per cent. of attendance, the record for nineteen hundred nine being ninety-three and two-tenths as against ninety-two and six-tenths in nineteen hundred ten.

The total number of pupils to complete the grammar course this year,

one hundred twenty-eight, is twenty-seven less than the number reported a year ago.

*In the aggregate there have been two hundred forty-nine and a half fewer days of school than during the preceding year. This is accounted for in the granting of a lengthened vacation period in the midyear, by special vote of the Committee and the shortening of the spring term.

There have been two hundred one fewer tardinesses, eighty-two fewer dismissals, forty-eight more cases of truancy, and three more non-resident pupils this year than last.

NUMERICAL STATEMENT.

	Increase	Decrease
Total enrollment	62.	.....
Over 15 years of age.....	59.	.....
Between 7 and 14 years	132.	.....
Average membership	16.4	.....
Average attendance	1.7	.....
Per cent. of attendance		.6
Completing grammar course		27.
Number of day sessions		249.5
Cases of tardiness		201.
Number of dismissals		82.
Cases of truancy	48.	.....
Number of non-resident pupils	3.	.....

One item in the statistics as read deserves further notice.

It is difficult to explain why there should have been forty-eight cases of truancy this year, more than last. Possibly more vigilant care has resulted in more cases being reported. One boy has been committed to the school for feeble minded at Wrentham, one to Westboro, one to Lawrence, while several have been placed on probation by the local court.

The truant officer, teachers and many of the parents have been untiring in their efforts to see that all children between the ages of seven and fourteen attended school. In spite of this and because of the carelessness and indifference of a small proportion of the mothers and fathers, we are obliged to record forty-eight more cases of truancy this year than last, and a substantially lower rate of attendance.

Such slight investigations as have been possible, regarding the causes for non-attendance, have revealed some interesting facts.

Out late the night before; did not get up in time; had to stay home to help mother; had to go on errands; stayed at home to take care of the baby. These few will account for a large portion of our absences.

Add to the above the fact that there were over seven hundred cases of measles during the year and our somewhat low attendance records should be largely explained.

PARENT-TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

During the year four associations have been formed which have for

*The aggregate referred to is found by multiplying the number of rooms by the number of days (about 184) each room has kept.

their avowed objects the general interests of the schools and helpful co-operation with the teachers in their particular work.

The associations are as follows:

- 1—The Belleville Parent-Teachers' Association.
- 2—The High School Parent-Teachers' Association.
- 3—The South End Parent-Teachers' Association.
- 4—The Kelley Parent-Teachers' Association.

These organizations hold meetings once a month with carefully planned programs which often include speakers from out of town.

Two of them, the High School and the Kelley associations, meet in the High School Hall; one in the assembly room in the Jackman School and the fourth at the Belleville Chapel.

The Parent-Teacher movement in this city has already made itself felt, particularly along the lines more closely related to the public school interests. Parents have become better acquainted with each other, teachers with each other and teachers with parents. There is evidence of a closer alliance than ever between the school and the home. These conditions bring about a better spirit in all the work of the school room, and it is hoped that they will go far toward eliminating truancy, and toward correcting all the evils of irregularity in attendance.

TEACHERS.

Few changes in the teaching force have occurred during the year which has just closed, a fact which is usually indicative of contentment on the part of the teachers, also of greater efficiency which comes with length of service.

One teacher, only, retired from the faculty of the High School.

Because of a desire to take civil service examinations in Washington, Mr. Hearne, who had served since September, 1909, resigned June 1st. Mr. Harold C. Faxon, an instructor in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, substituted most successfully during the remainder of the term. Later Mr. J. Albert Brack was elected to fill Mr. Hearne's position. This he has done most acceptably. The growing spirit of industry and good will lead one to feel that he is the right man in the right place.

The growth of the school and the greatly increased demands on the teachers in the English department made the employment of another teacher imperative. Miss Lucy B. Morse, a resident of this city and a graduate of Boston University, was chosen to fill the position. By taking classes in French, mathematics and history, she has lightened the work for the teachers in each of those departments.

The recent appointment of Miss Mary A. Jones as assistant in domestic science, and the election of Miss Julia M. Hopkinson represent the only other changes of teachers in the city during the year.

After a year of absence from her school on account of illness, Miss Grace E. Bartlett, teacher of the second grade in the Curtis School, resigned in June. For many years she had been a faithful and efficient teacher in our public schools. In her retirement the city lost an influence for good which will not be easy to replace.

Miss Hopkinson was given the position which Miss Bartlett left.

The appointment of Miss Hopkinson was no experiment, as her work was known. She had practically filled the position to which she was appointed since the preceding December while completing her course in the Training School.

The serious illness of Mr. Brown early in the fall made it necessary to secure some one for the Jackman School to assume the duties of the Principal. The task was not easy. Any one of the nine assistants could have done the work, however, and would have done it well. It would have been gladly offered to one of them but for one reason; two rooms would then have been disturbed in place of one, in the event of a substitute from outside the school being employed. Mrs. Ella B. Stevens, whose excellent work in former years is well known to the Committee, has been employed. She has filled the position with tact, skill and with entire success. Mr. Brown's early return to work is hoped for and expected.

EQUIPMENT.

The buildings which for five hours in the day are occupied by the more than two thousand of our children, are an important part of the school equipment.

For many years back appeals have been made to city councils and committees on public property for such repairs and alterations as seemed to be absolutely necessary. These appeals have for the most part been respectfully read, duly recorded, and quickly lost. Not so this year. So far as can be learned every request sent to the Committee on Public Property by this Board has been listened to, granted and the work authorized.

Not for years have the school buildings been in such excellent condition as they are at the present time. Not for years has the attitude of the entire City Government been so much in sympathy with the work of the schools, and never so generous in appropriations for their maintenance.

Every building used for school purposes in the city has received some attention from the Committee on Public Property, either in the form of repairs or permanent improvements.

The High, Kelley, Curtis, Johnson, Bromfield Street, and the Purchase Street Schools have particularly effective and much needed work done in them. With the thorough work which has been done this year, a moderate amount of money expended on two or three buildings each year, will keep all our buildings in excellent condition.

In accordance with the law, sanitary drinking fountains have been installed in every school. All but three of our buildings, the Currier, Moultonville and the Storey Avenue, are connected with the sewer and are supplied with sanitary plumbing.

The Committee has been generous in the matter of text books and miscellaneous supplies.

The growth of the Commercial Department in the High School has made necessary the purchase of five new typewriters, two of which were in exchange for old machines. In this department there are now fifteen Remington typewriters, nine of which are the latest visibles.

New texts have been authorized in the subjects of language and his-

tory. By vote of the Committee the Emerson and Bender, the Webster and Cooley, and the Gilbert and Harris language series were adopted on trial for one year. Following out the suggestion of the Committee on the Course of Study, these books have been supplied respectively to the pupils of the Jackman, the Kelley and the Currier Schools.

Eva March Tappan's "Our Country's Story" was adopted for the use of grade seven in the place of Montgomery's Elementary History, and has been supplied to that grade.

Several new texts have been adopted for and supplied to the different departments of the High School.

The contract to furnish the supplies for the year 1910-1911 was awarded by the Committee to the Milton Bradley Company of 120 Boylston street, Boston.

These changes in text books and the liberal purchase of supplies will account for an increase in the expenses of this department over those of last year.

During the month of May the work in testing the eyesight and hearing was completed by the teachers with the following results:

	No. pupils Examined	Found de- fective in Eyesight	Found de- fective in Hearing	No. of parents notified	Per cent of defective Vision
High School	436	59	31	24	11
Currier School	146	20	8	15	13
Jackman School	360	80	1	..	22
Kelley School	215	31	10	17	14
Bromfield St. School.....	139	26	1	27	18
Curtis School	129	11	2	6	8
Davenport School	116	16	6	20	13
Johnson School	123	15	4	13	12
Purchase St. School.....	27	6	6	1	22
Temple St. School.....	91	18	5	23	19
Training School	135	9	2	6	6
Moultonville School.....	43	5	2	..	11
Storey Av. School	27	6	1	2	22
Ward Room School.....	20	3	..	3	15
	2007	305	79	157	15
For 1909.....	1956	276	71	193	14.1
For 1908.....	1981	353	297	81	18
For 1907.....	2053	419	127	378	20

How much these figures really mean, and how far they signify actual conditions it would be difficult to say. It will be noticed that for the first three years on which the tests were given there was a steady lowering of the percentage of defective vision from 20 to 14.1 percent. This year there is a slight increase to 15 per cent.

In May, your Superintendent and Truant Officer attended the meeting of the Massachusetts Truant Officers' Association held at the Lawrence Training School. A special invitation was extended to several of the Essex County Superintendents to attend this meeting by the County Commissioners, that they might demonstrate to men particularly interested in working out school problems, the wisdom of their reformatory methods.

Who was the promoter of the particular methods in use in that school

I am unable to say. One thing is sure. There can be no doubt of the success of the plan which involves those methods.

I speak of our visit to this school and the methods used because in those methods there is a lesson for us here in Newburyport.

Twice during my service in this city, in either annual or monthly reports, I have suggested the advisability of establishing at least one school, to be used as a special school of discipline.

The idea has not been acceptable to the Committee because there seemed to be a notion that a pupil who was sent to such a school would be forever labelled "bad." That this would not be the case if the school was rightly managed has, I think, already been shown by the work in the Lawrence Training School.

As I have interpreted that school, the one predominant idea is not so much one of repressing the bad which may be innate in the character of a boy, but one of expressing and encouraging the good. In this respect it differs from most institutions of the kind and from all institutions of the kind of which I have had any personal knowledge. Several boys who knew of the time which was to be made of the visit to the school by so many truant officers and others, begged to be allowed to return to the school for that day just to help in those duties which they had been taught to perform while in the school as compulsory members.

If we could have such a school in our city, not of course on such extensive lines, but managed on similar lines, taught by a teacher whose aim and ambition was to elevate and reform the characters who might be sent to her for treatment, I believe most excellent results would follow. I would make it a place to be desired rather than dreaded, to build up rather than smirch a character, to be loved rather than looked back upon with regret.

MANUAL TRAINING.

The recent action of the Committee in endorsing the report of the Special Committee on the Course of Study, more particularly that portion of it wherein manual training was advocated, ought to be followed up with an early working out of a definite plan which would give our boys the advantage of such a course.

For a long time it has been a difficult problem for the teachers of those grades in which the girls attended classes in cooking and sewing, to know what was best to do with the boys. Some have done some work with their classes in brass; some in wood; while still others have used the time for making up delinquent work. Several teachers have used the opportunity to visit some of the industrial plants of the city, much to the enjoyment and, it is thought, to some profit of the boys.

Manual training will solve the problem in the grammar grades. It is the one thing we have needed for many years.

For more than a dozen years this city has been one of only four municipalities in Essex County to support a full course in domestic science. By this is meant cooking and sewing. In this movement Newburyport is a pioneer in the county. It is most gratifying that we can now begin a work which will be correspondingly beneficial to the boys of the city.

We ought not, however, to stop here. A very large number of boys in

the High School never finish the four years because they do not find there the course which seems to them that they need.

A glance at the following table will show that only one-half of the girls and one-third of the boys who entered the High School during the twenty years beginning 1890, persevered to the end of the course.

Of the girls who entered, three hundred twenty-seven graduated, and three hundred forty-seven did not. Of the boys who entered, during the same twenty years, two hundred twenty-eight graduated and four hundred thirty-three did not. Sixty-five per cent., or nearly two-thirds of the boys in the High School, do not find what they need.

TWENTY YEARS OF HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE AND GRADUATION.

	Entered		Graduated	
	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys
1890	23	21	10	5
1891	40	17	15	1
1892	30	50	14	10
1893	23	30	13	13
1894	29	22	13	12
1895	28	27	13	9
1896	24	27	16	8
1897	33	21	16	18
1898	35	27	13	14
1899	40	34	14	15
1900	37	27	24	12
1901	30	40	14	9
1902	31	31	7	11
1903	46	50	21	11
1904	37	39	14	18
1905	24	40	11	7
1906	34	13	25	11
1907	41	44	24	9
1908	44	51	22	20
1909	45	50	28	15
Totals	674	661	327	228

Sixty-five per cent. of the boys who enter never graduate.

If the facts could be known, it would probably appear that a large majority of this sixty-five per cent. of the boys who left school before graduation went into some of the industries in this city. If this supposition is correct, would it not be to the advantage of our manufacturers if some skill in the different lines could be acquired during attendance at school?

Some of our manufacturers have already signified their willingness to co-operate with the School Committee in a joint arrangement of shop and school, similar to the Beverly and Fitchburg plans. There would be no added cost of maintaining such a department except such as would result from an increased enrollment. It is hoped that a Special Committee may be appointed to consider the whole subject as connected with the work of our High School.

SALARIES.

During the last three years the maximum salaries of grade teachers has been increased by this Board so that now we are nearer to the limits

paid by other communities. In this time teachers of both grammar and primary grades have been raised to six hundred dollars.

This action of the Board has placed our schools on a basis which compares favorably with those of other cities and towns. Teachers are better satisfied, and it is far more difficult for other school officials to induce our teachers to leave us. This is as it should be.

THE TRAINING SCHOOL.

For a specific report on the Training School, the Committee is referred to the later pages, written by the Principal.

The question of separating this school from the grammar grades is one which ought to be considered.

There is a need in the central part of the city for increased accommodations in the primary grades. This is felt most keenly in the Temple Street School, where one hundred children have to be crowded into two rooms. The present City Council has seen this and referred to the matter as a pressing need for a new school building in Ward Three. This was said in a discussion of the building for the upper wards of the city, which is now in process of building. The problem could be settled by a combination of the Temple Street and the Training School if a suitable building could be provided. A four-room addition to the rear of the Temple Street building, with some alterations of the interior, would provide the opportunity of removing the primary grades from the Kelley School. This would leave the Kelley free for the use of the grammar grades. Aside from the need of separating the primary from the grammar grades, this would give the room which will be necessary for installing manual training in that building in accordance with the recent vote of the Committee.

STATE INSTITUTE.

On Friday, April 22, the State Board of Education held an institute in the local High School, to which were invited teachers and all school officials from the surrounding towns, as well as from our own city.

The following is the program:

9:15 a. m.—Opening exercises.

9:25 a. m.—General address, "The New Basis of Method," David Snedden.

10:25 a. m. to 11:15 a. m.—Drawing, grades 1-3, Frederick L. Burnham, Agent of the Board; Geography and Nature Study, grades 4-6, Charles P. Sinnott, Bridgewater State Normal School; Language and Grammar, grades 7-9, William D. Parkinson, Superintendent of Schools, Waltham; History, High School, Albert Perry Walker, Principal Girls' High School, Boston.

11:25 a. m. to 12:15 p. m.—Hand Work and Games, grades 1-3, Miss H. Grace Parsons, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, Brockton; Arithmetic, grades 4-5, Lincoln Owen, Principal Rice School, Boston; Geography, grades 7-9, Mr. Sinnott; Science, High School, William Orr, Deputy Commissioner of Education.

Intermission.

1:15 to 2:05 p. m.—Story Telling and Dramatization, grades 1-3, Miss

Parsons; Language, grades 4-6, Mr. Parkinson; Drawing, grades 7-9, Mr. Burnham; English Literature, High School, Mr. Walker

2:15 p. m.—General address, Charles A. Prosser, Deputy Commissioner of Education.

DAVID SNEDDEN, Commissioner of Education.

JOHN T. PRINCE, Agent of the Board.

In this meeting, together with the five held by the Newburyport Teachers' Association, the teachers of this community have had the opportunity to listen to the best educators in the state.

The meetings of the Association this year have been addressed by men and women of national reputation. A greater interest on the part of people outside of the teaching force, would have its effect on the work of the schools themselves.

Another way in which added interest might come to the work of the schools is by visitation on the part of parents. A superintendent recently said in his report "There is no doubt but that publicity that comes from parents visiting the schools can be made the most powerful factor in making these schools what they should be. In my own town of fourteen thousand people, a father never visits a school, and it is a most rare occasion when a mother does so; even members of the board of education do not make visits of inspection."

So far as these things may be true of our own city they should be corrected. No one thing will keep up the tone of any line of work so much as the knowledge that it is closely and frequently scrutinized by those in authority.

THE WORK.

Early in the year the Committee authorized the appointment of a special committee to consider all matters pertaining to the management of the schools, particularly with reference to the course of study.

This committee has made investigations covering the entire field of elementary school work. The general recommendations of this committee, which consisted of Mr. Berry of Ward One, Mr. Wright of Ward Five and Mr. Little of Ward Six, are as follows:

Your Committee on the Course of Study is prepared to make at this time a preliminary report, and requests that it be given authority to try out in the school rooms its plans, before they be adopted in a formal course of study.

We offer the following general recommendations:

1—That in all the primary and grammar schools, there shall be a fifteen minute out door recess in the middle of the morning session, and that in all but the first grade the morning session shall close at twelve o'clock.

2—That there be always one teacher, and in buildings of more than two rooms, two teachers on the playgrounds during the recess and fifteen minutes before both the morning and afternoon sessions.

3—That no home study be required in the first eight grades and in the ninth grade not more than one half hour per day, and then only such subjects as do not involve any mathematical exercise.

We further recommend:

1—That an amount of time equal in all to one period per week be assigned to physiology and nature study.

2—That writing, music and drawing continue as at present, the teacher of music devoting four days and the teacher of drawing five days per week to the necessary supervision in all the schools.

3—That sewing be offered to the girls of the sixth and seventh grades as at present.

4—That cooking be offered to the girls of the eighth grade as at present and to the girls of the ninth grade once in four weeks.

5—That steps be taken to provide manual training for the boys of grades six to nine during the time that the girls are engaged in domestic science.

All of these recommendations were unanimously adopted by the Board. All but one have already been put into operation. While the recommendation of the special committee relating to manual training was unanimously adopted, the work itself has not yet begun.

Owing to the changes made necessary by the work of this committee, the curriculum and text books, having been revised to fit the new requirements, the work of the schools has of necessity been somewhat interrupted. The course is now rapidly adjusting itself, and before another year will show the good effect of added attention to the fundamental things in the school curriculum.

The adoption of the Aldine System has been a definite advance in our method of teaching reading. The work has been taken up with a great deal of enthusiasm on the part of the teachers. Its success was assured from the start. The wealth of material so interesting to the children of the primary grades, has been a source of much inspiration not only to them but also to the teachers.

In closing I wish to recommend that manual training be installed in the grammar grades at the earliest possible opportunity; that industrial and vocational work be correlated with some of the courses in the High School; that the work in our evening school be broadened so as to secure the co-operation of the State; and finally, that a text book in physiology be adopted for the grades.

I wish to recognize the helpful attitude the teachers have always manifested toward me and express my gratitude for the continued confidence of this Committee.

Respectfully,

EDGAR L. WILLARD,
Supt. of Schools.

November 28, 1910.

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

To E. L. Willard, Superintendent of Schools:

I submit the following as my annual report:

School opened in September with 440 pupils, 15 more than last year. The question of ample accommodation has been pressing the past few years, but by shifting some departments and using the basement for school rooms, we have been able thus far to find a place for everyone. Every available place seems now to have been used and should there be an increase next year, accommodations must certainly be found outside the building. Such crowded conditions attended by very large classes, are not conducive to good discipline nor to good work. Proper housing of the High School has become an urgent question.

Last year a class of 56 was graduated; of this number 14 entered college, and 13 entered the Training or Normal Schools, while six returned for further preparations for college. There were 144 pupils admitted to the first year class. Twenty of these came from the adjoining towns, and five pupils from other towns left their own school for the purpose of getting ready for college. There are at present in the school 22 who are paying the full tuition, besides those provided for by the Putnam School.

The faculty continues much as last year, there having been very few changes. Mr. Hearne resigned and Mr. J. Albert Brack, a graduate of Harvard, the principal of the High School at Ashland, Mass., has taken his place. Mr. Brack's work gives promise of success. Miss Lucy B. Morse was added to the teaching force and is now teaching French, Algebra and English History. Miss Morse graduated last June from Boston University and while without experience, has quickly and easily taken up the work. We regret that Miss Robinson was compelled by illness in her home, to withdraw for the time being. We hope that she will be with us after Christmas. Her work is taken care of meantime by Miss Sally Batchelder of Peabody, Mass., a graduate of Boston University. The recent resignation of Miss Sullivan is greatly regretted. A teacher of successful experience is needed to take her place.

On March 29, we gave our fifth annual concert, assisted by Lida Shaw Littlefield and the Boston Festival Orchestra Club. The High School gave Barbara Frietche, Galla and a miscellaneous program. The work of the chorus received much commendation, but the support given was such as to compel us to discontinue this work. The music in the school has been

greatly benefitted by these public concerts and it with deep regret that they are discontinued.

The speaking for the Merrill prizes was of the usual order. Peter Dugan won the first for the boys, Philip Murphy the second. Marion Coffin was the first for the girls, and Grace Langley the second. The Toppan prize was won by Harold Jewett Peabody. The judges were Mr. E. L. Willard and Mr. Irving H. Johnson.

Yours truly,

WALTER E. ANDREWS.

November 23, 1910.

GRADUATION EXERCISES, CLASS OF 1910

PROGRAM.

- March, "Priest March" Athalie Mendelssohn
Marion Gould Hazelton.
- Prayer
Rev. A. McDonald Paterson.
- Music, "Gloria in Excelsis" From Farmer's Mass
Chorus.
- Essay, Salutatory Rank, "Spires and Towers of Newburyport".....
Amelia Worth Little.
- Essay, "The Panama Canal as an Aid to the United States Navy"....
Joseph Herbert Currier.
- Music, "Barcarolle," from "The Tales of Hoffman".....Offenback
"Song of the Dinah Dolls".....Josephine Sherwood
Girls' Chorus.
- Essay, "The Astronomy of the Bible"
Sarah Elizabeth Ilsley.
- Class Prophecy
Gladys Whitson.
- Essay, "A Safe and Saner Fourth".....
Mollie Isabelle Collins.
- Music, "Estudiantina" Lacome
Chorus.
- Essay, "Yellow and Near Yellow Literature"
Ross Campbell.
- Essay, "Five Episodes in the Life of Macbeth," with valedictory....
Agnes Ellen Olive Burns.

Award of Toppan Prize

Edgar L. Willard, Irving H. Johnson, Committee of Award.

Presentation of Diplomas

Class Ode. Music, "Fair Harvard"

Words by Lillian Wilson Simpson.

Oh, golden and rosy the dreams of our youth,
And bright are our hopes for success,
We look to the future with wide shining eyes
And to failure we'll never confess.
Oh beckoning dreams and confident hopes,
Starry visions your ardor reveals.
In your soft lustrous haze all is beauty and joy,
Every peril the future conceals.

Oh, where can we find an honorable shield,
To keep free from the shadow of sin,
All our hopes and our dreams and our sterner resolves,
To fight the good fight and to win?
Is this to be found in the stars, in the skies,
In the glittering castles of kings
Or behind the closed portals of Paradise
In the flutter of Angels' wings?

Oh, the answer is borne on the whispering wind,
In a voice that is thrilling and fair,
You must find this great shield in your own heart of hearts,
For 'tis there, I repeat, it is there.
Oh beautiful voice, oh wonderful voice,
We have harked to the message you bring.
We have found the great shield, and the short simple words,
Its device, its inscription, we sing.

"Ever upwards!" my classmates, oh lift up your eyes,
To the glories that hover above,
To the fruits of success and the honors of toil,
And the heart-easing guerdons of love.
"Ever upwards!" my classmates remember these words,
In the hours of trial, despair;
Remember the courage and strength they exhort,
"Ever upwards!" our motto, our prayer.

Benediction

GRADUATED WITH HONOR.

Agnes Ellen Olive Burns.

Amelia Worth Little

Gladys Whitson.

A pupil to graduate with honor must maintain for each year a general average of A. In one subject his work may be B provided it is 85 or better.

GRADUATED WITH CREDIT.

Ross Campbell

Mollie Isabelle Collins

Joseph Herbert Currier

Sarah Elizabeth Ilsley

A pupil to be graduated with credit must maintain for each year a general average of 85 or better. One study only may be below this average and this must be at least grade B.

SPECIAL HONORS.

Florence Barrett—Geography.
Ruth Madeline Carens—Geography.
Rowland Currier—Geography.
Mabeth Downer—Geography, Phonography, Typewriting, Book-keeping.
Doris Foote—French, German.
Ruth Alberta Haigh—French, History, Bookkeeping, Phonography, Typewriting.
Bartholomew Christopher Kelleher—Phonography, Bookkeeping.
Louis Eaton Kendrick—History.
Mary Alice Lyons—Geography, Chemistry.
Ruth Elizabeth Noyes—Geography, Chemistry, Physiology.
Lucy Vinal Redman—Geography, Physiology.
Lillian Wilson Simpson—French, German.
Mildred Stevens—Typewriting.
Grace Welch—Geography.

Honors in special studies will be given to pupils whose yearly marks in the particular studies are A's, provided the maximum amount of time allotted these studies in the course pursued by the pupil is taken.

GRADUATES OF HIGH AND PUTNAM SCHOOLS

FIVE YEARS' COLLEGE COURSE.

Helen Balch Fernald

Ruth Child Pike

FOUR YEARS' COLLEGE COURSE.

Susie Elizabeth Bartlet

Mollie Isabelle Collins

*Herbert Carleton Little

John Phillips Marquand

Caroline Frances Pettingell

Lillian Wilson Simpson

John Joseph Sullivan

James Edward Welch

Gladys Whitson

SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

Ross Campbell

William Earle Coffin

Joseph Herbert Currier

George Porter Elliott

Earle Weymouth Jordan

*Harry Irving Lewis

Arthur Stickney Page

Frank Soule Somerby

NORMAL COURSE.

Edith Marion Adams

*Agnes Ellen Olive Burns

*Marguerite Jane Burns

*Lucinda Norma Chase

*Sarah Elizabeth Ilsley

Mary Alice Lyons

Gladys Bragdon Nelson

Isabelle Nelson Parker

*Lucy Vinal Redman

Dorothy Ellis Sayward

Grace Marion Welch

GENERAL COURSE.

Florence Barrett

Ruth Madeline Carens

Rowland Currier

Doris Foote

*Amelia Worth Little

Ruth Elizabeth Noyes

John Stephen O'Connell

Martina Eulalia O'Neil

Harold Jewett Peabody

Mabel Dean Rogers

Ethelyn Morse Weare

COMMERCIAL COURSE.

*Madeline Ardelle Carlisle

Mildred Elvira Chase

Mabeth Downer

Edward Daniel Doyle

Ruth Alberta Haigh

Ethel Seymour Hart

Leo Kane

Bartholomew Christopher Kelleher

Louis Eaton Kendrick

John James Pearson

Agnes Regis O'Brien

John James McGlew

Mildred Elizabeth Stevens

John Joseph Sullivan

Joseph Richard Woods

*Graduates of the Putnam Free School.

REPORT OF THE TRAINING SCHOOL

To E. L. Willard, Superintendent of Schools:

The Training School has completed its first year with the two classes of eight pupil teachers as changed from the three classes of former years.

Whether this change was to be an advantage or not had to be tried to be proven, and it has been found by those in charge to be an improvement: first, it gives the student more time for the normal work of the school and allows that work to be accomplished in school hours rather than after the session with the children closed as was the previous custom. Second, it gives her five months more actual experience with the children. Third, it places four young ladies in the other schools of the city assisting the teachers. Fourth, it brings the pupil teachers in contact with teachers trained for the work. Fifth, it makes less changes in the school for the children. Sixth, it gives the Superintendent a chance to call upon the school for substitutes without lessening the teaching force of the school. Seventh, it saves hiring substitute teachers, as this work is done by the pupil teachers with no remuneration. The cost of salaries for the pupil teachers last year was \$320.

The Training School has always been a school where new methods have been tried to determine their value. This was done before the Ward System of reading was adopted and again the Aldine System was used here as a test of its merit before becoming the prescribed system for our schools. It was found so very desirable that it has been adopted for all.

The method of work is so simple and accords so well with the natural inclination of the child's mind that the classes using it advance very fast, and at the same time enjoy the work. As one little fellow remarked to his mother, "I just love that squirrel story."

The Training School has been used the past year to assist children coming to us from other countries too old in years to feel awkward and out of place in the grade schools for which their knowledge would fit them; with the extra work that can be given them by the pupil teachers several such foreigners have been given the special work needed to allow them to take their places in the grades with children of their own age.

The seven members of the class graduated last June have all found de-

sirable positions, one in our own city, one in Attleboro, one in Amesbury, one in Avon, one in Hatfield, one in Dover and one in North Hampton.

The members of the class entering September, 1910, were chosen from a large number of applicants and are all from families in our city, showing that the school is still popular and its work appreciated by the tax payers who support it.

Respectfully,

FRANCES WARD RICHARDS.

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING

To E. L. Willard, Superintendent of Schools:

The course in drawing has been improved as much as possible, the desire being to make it as practicable as opportunity will permit. By practical, I mean, the giving of principles to the children which may be applied out side of the school room. Of course the results obtained from one hour a week cannot be expected to compare with those from schools allowed two or three hours for this work, but, under the circumstances, the results have been better than before, as can be verified by inspection of the drawings displayed in the office of the Superintendent.

The pupil teachers of the Training School are educated in this branch by special lessons and find practical work under their principal, in the different grades of the school. Though, at first, it comes hard to some, constant drill and willing practice as well as home lessons enable them to obtain excellent results from the pupils.

I think I can truthfully say that the other schools are keeping up the standard they have set in former years. Many have raised their standards higher, but it would not be just to me to pick out any one school for special commendation while the teachers are helping me as they are.

The High School drawing classes are larger this year than they have been. They are well behaved and interested in the work. Interest in this branch of study has been deepened by a place of rank having been assigned it upon the report cards. In fact the earnestness of some of the boys and girls of the High School has gone a long way towards encouraging a work whose purpose is not always understood and whose value, though recognized by some of the world's greatest educators as very necessary, is sometimes underrated.

Through drawing we are trying to cultivate accuracy of observation, give skill of hand, increase the value of industrial products, promote appreciation of excellence in manufactured articles, help to establish good habits of thought and action, give power to express beauty, encourage originality, develop creative faculty, stimulate the imagination, give knowledge of the use of good color combinations, develop judgment, reveal natural ability, develop concentration, awaken a love of beauty, help to furnish some with a means of livelihood, help others in their chosen vocations,

promote enjoyment in life, increase an interest in commonplace things and to help the pupils express themselves freely in line and mass, value and tone of color. Drawing from objects is perhaps the most important part of this study. There is no time for much design work, though we touch upon that subject as much as possible. Side by side with the object drawing stands the mechanical course. We wish to make our drawing course a practical educator, not to use it as a pretty pastime.

Thanking the teachers for their willing co-operation with me in this work, I respectfully submit this report.

FLORENCE M. MURPHY,

Supervisor of Drawing.

November 28, 1910.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE

To E. L. Willard, Superintendent of Schools:

The lessons in Domestic Science have been given in the Purchase Street building and in the Ashland Street Ward Room.

The girls in the eighth grade, seventy-four in number, are instructed in cooking and all seem interested in their work. Reports have been given each week showing the result of home practice which have been more satisfactory than in preceeding years.

The curriculum for these classes as I have previously stated include the study of fuels and cooking apparatus, food materials, classification, composition and nutritive value, preparation and serving of foods. These lessons are carefully prepared and so arranged that the students may have as thorough and practical a knowledge of plain cooking as it is possible to give in a course of thirty-seven lessons.

There have been one hundred and eighty-six pupils in the sixth and seventh grades receiving instruction in needle work. The time is so short that only the most practical stitches are attempted—basting, overhanding, hemming, overcasting, button holes, patching, dress and stocking darning, with the cutting and making of aprons, pillow cases, bags and underskirts. In October the Board voted to extend the Course in Cooking, giving the girls two years' work instead of one.

Miss Mary Jones was appointed assistant and she is proving most helpful and efficient. We are waiting very impatiently for a room to be prepared for the sewing classes that we may take up the work with the ninth grade girls at once.

The teachers and pupils wish to express their appreciation to the members of the School Board, Public Property Committee, and the Woman's Club for the interest they have taken during the past year in the work, not only in making the kitchen more sanitary and attractive, but materially adding to its limited equipment.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH A. CHASE,

Supervisor.

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To E. L. Willard, Superintendent of Schools:

With a few minor changes, the musical work in our schools has gone on practically the same as in previous years.

As always, the results vary in different classes of the same grade, some accomplishing much more than others.

The continued use of the Rote Song Book in the second grades, instead of the work originally laid out by the compilers of our Natural System, is proving a success. By its use, the child learns to hear, to see, and to work for himself, and on entering the third grade is much better fitted to take up the regular work.

The interest in the work among pupils of all grades steadily increases. Whereas, in the first few years, it was often difficult to persuade some of them to sing, or even try, now it is only in exceptional cases, most of the pupils looking forward to the work, and willing to do his or her part.

The general taste, too, has improved, and pupils invariably choose the best selections, when given an opportunity.

For lack of financial support on the part of the public, it seems necessary this year, to give up our annual High School concert. From a musical standpoint, this is much to be regretted. While we have endeavored to give an entertainment, worthy of generous patronage, our chief aim has been to inspire in the pupils a love for that which is highest and best in music.

While we still work with this end in view, a concert or something to work for, always proves an incentive.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH C. ADAMS,
Supervisor of Music.

November 21, 1910.

EVENING SCHOOL

To E. L. Willard, Superintendent of Schools:

The Evening School for 1909-1910 began on October 18 and continued through the following March. The attendance was large, the highest on any one evening being 153. The total enrolment for the whole term was 233. Many of those attending were of foreign birth and of mature age. Among them were natives of Russia, Austria, Greece, Portugal, Italy, Turkey, Sweden, Finland, Canada and Ireland.

There were over sixty between twenty and thirty, several between thirty and forty and one more than forty years old. In addition to the common school studies in reading, writing, spelling and arithmetic, instruction was given in history, geography and algebra. At the opening of the school many were unable to speak, write or understand the simplest English sentences. Before the term closed great progress had been made in familiarizing them with the speech and customs of their adopted country.

The teachers assisting the principal were Edith M. Merrill, Jennie P. Brown, Cora O. Jaques, C. Louise Woodbury, Gertrude E. Nelson, Flora Pettigrew, Catherine C. Hunt, Alonzo G. Hearne and Adeline R. Hale. These teachers, as well as their pupils, seem thoroughly devoted to their work, and are accomplishing excellent results.

Respectfully yours,

WM. P. LUNT, Principal.

REPORT OF A SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF THE WOMAN'S CLUB

The course in Domestic Science, in connection with the public schools, is taught in the Purchase Street schoolhouse, with the exception of one class weekly, which is held in the Ward Room on Ashland street.

The room for the cooking classes is situated on the second floor. It is a bright, pleasant room with windows on three sides. The equipment consists of a coal and gas range, closets, tables where the girls work, ice-box, sink, cooking utensils, white china dishes for serving food, irons, ironing board, towel racks, cases which contain different grains and foods analyzed. cream of tartar in its natural state, and many other things of interest

The course in cooking has been given to the girls from the eighth grade until this year, when it is continued through the ninth grade. Last year the number of pupils receiving instruction was ninety-seven, this number being divided into four classes, each class receiving instruction weekly during the school year. As a rule the girls thoroughly enjoy the lessons in cooking, as one girl expressed it, "It didn't seem like going to school."

The course taught is very practical. It includes cooking of cereals, vegetables, eggs, fish, meat, bread, cake, cookies, salads, tea, coffee, cocoa, simple frozen dishes, invalid cookery, the chemistry of cookery as far as the children can understand it, also the value and combination of foods.

In connection with this course instruction is also given in dish washing, blacking stove, washing and ironing dish towels, care of ice-box, ventilation and sanitation as far as possible in an old school house. At the close of the lesson, the food which has been prepared is served to the class. This is a part of the lesson which is thoroughly enjoyed by the pupils. As the school year advances the pupils report many dishes prepared at home. It is gratifying to know that in many instances the knowledge gained by the pupils in the cooking classes has been a great help in their homes. It seems that the fathers especially appreciate this course of instruction more than the mothers. When I was teaching one father told me he had never had good food in his home until his daughter went to cooking school.

Not long ago, at City Hall, a member of the city government was complaining of the uselessness and cost of the cooking school. A day laborer, with his dinner pail in his hand, stood nearby, and, hearing the remarks of the city father, stepped up to him, touched his cap and said, "Excuse

me, sir. I never had a good loaf of bread in my house until my daughter went to cooking school."

One mother had decided objections to sending her daughter to cooking school. She said her daughter was to be a teacher, and she should prefer to have her spend the time given to cooking on her studies. Besides, she herself was a good cook, and she could teach her all that was necessary.

She went to the School Board with her arguments and asked to have her daughter excused. The desire was not granted; the girl was obliged to take the course in cooking. In the latter part of the school year, the mother was taken sick with rheumatic fever. The daughter did all the cooking for a family of five for some weeks, using the knowledge gained at cooking school.

As soon as the mother recovered she went to Miss Chase, the teacher, and told her how opposed she had been to the cooking school before she was sick, and how her ideas had changed completely, and how much she appreciated the instruction given her daughter.

The committee for the cooking school, appointed by the Woman's Club, at the request of the School Board, has visited the classes in cooking and find excellent work being done. The room where the classes are held needed paint, whitewash and screens at the windows and door. Through the kindness of the committee on public property, these needs were attended to.

While the teachers were doing splendid work with the equipment they had, there were several things lacking that were really necessary. And some articles needed replacing—for instance, the spoons, which were in use, had been purchased some eleven years ago, and cost fifteen cents a dozen. They were unsightly, and more than that, it seemed as if they might be unwholesome, as the outside plating had worn off.

Among other articles that seemed necessary was an ice-box, some silver plated knives, a dining table, chairs, damask tablecloth, and napkins. With these last articles, the teacher could give a valuable lesson in table setting and serving.

We, as a committee, realized we could not supply all these wants at once. We asked the School Board for \$25. The request was kindly granted. In September we bought an ice-box and obtained a very good article for \$19. We considered the other wants, and decided the need of spoons was the most imperative and were about to take steps to purchase, when we invited the Committee on Schools to co-operate with us, and they offered to look into the matter of buying spoons.

With the remaining six dollars (left from the twenty-five from the School Board) we hope to put a gas plate on each table where the pupils work. This will simplify matters greatly, as there are sometimes twenty pupils gathered around the coal and gas range watching some interesting process. And then the coal range refuses to draw when the wind is north-east.

We hope for a new and thorough equipment for the room for Domestic Science in the new school building. And that the room in the Purchase

Street schoolhouse will be retained for pupils living in the lower part of the city.

It is gratifying to know that the boys in some of the grammar grades are coming into their own, in that they are to receive instruction in manual training. And it seems very probable that the boys will find as much profit and pleasure in manual training as the girls have in domestic science.

MRS. WILLIAM ILSLEY,
MRS. JOSHUA HALE,
MRS. SAMUEL P. MILLIKEN,
MRS. RUSSELL E. BRIGGS,
MISS MARION LEGATE,

Committee

ATTENDANCE RECORDS

TOTAL ENROLLMENT.

	Boys	Girls	Total
High School	217	224	441
Currier School	70	81	151
Jackman School	194	186	380
Kelley School	113	126	239
Bromfield Street School	87	78	165
Curtis School	47	81	128
Davenport School	61	83	144
Johnson School	71	59	130
Purchase Street School	15	13	28
Temple Street School	52	52	104
Training School	64	72	136
Moultonville School	21	24	45
Storey Avenue School	16	14	30
Ward Room School	8	14	22
Totals	1036	1107	2143

Number of pupils attending within the school year under 5 years of age.

	Boys	Girls	Total
Bromfield Street School	..	1	1
Davenport School	1	1	2
Johnson School	1	1	2
Totals	2	3	5

Number attending within the school year over 15 years of age.

	Boys	Girls	Total
High School	152	156	308
Currier School	7	6	13
Jackman School	4	6	10
Kelley School	8	15	23
Moultonville School	..	2	2
Storey Avenue School	..	1	1
Totals	171	186	357

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Number attending within the school year between 7 and 14 years of age.

	Boys	Girls	Total
High School	65	68	133
Currier School	63	75	138
Jackman School	171	150	321
Kelley School	96	104	200
Bromfield Street School	58	55	113
Curtis School	35	63	98
Davenport School	42	66	108
Johnson School	39	34	73
Purchase Street School	8	8	16
Temple Street School	30	33	63
Training School	40	47	87
Moultonville School	17	18	35
Storey Avenue School	12	9	21
Ward Room School	8	14	22
Totals	684	744	1428

Average membership, average attendance and per cent. of attendance during the year.

High School	402.5	382.4	95.1
Currier School	146.9	137.6	93.7
Jackman School	354.6	325.3	91.7
Kelley School	208.3	196.8	94.4
Bromfield Street School	139.8	119.3	85.3
Curtis School	121.3	113.3	92.5
Davenport School	129.3	120.1	92.8
Johnson School	115.5	104.5	90.4
Purchase Street School	26.0	20.0	77.0
Temple Street School	83.2	79.0	94.9
Training School	120.9	111.7	92.3
Moultonville School	41.0	37.1	90.5
Storey Avenue School	26.6	24.5	92.1
Ward Room School	19.5	18.7	95.5
Totals	1933.4	1789.8	92.6

Number of pupils completing the grammar school course:

	Boys	Girls	Total
Currier School	12	10	22
Jackman School	23	31	54
Kelley School	21	26	47
Moultonville School	..	2	2
Storey Avenue School	1	2	3
Totals	57	71	128

ATTENDANCE RECORD BY SCHOOLS

HIGH SCHOOL.

Whole number enrolled during the year	441
Number over 15 years of age	308
Number between 7 and 14 years of age	133
Average membership	402.5
Average attendance	382.4
Per cent. of attendance	95.1
Number of sessions of school	184
Number of cases of tardiness	1825
Number of dismissals	629
Non-resident pupils (not in the Putnam School)	10

CURRIER SCHOOL.

	9	8	7	6	5	Total
Whole number enrolled....	23	30	25	37	36	151
Number over 15 years....	9	3	1	..	..	13
Between 7 and 14 years....	12	24	29	37	36	138
Average membership	21.1	27.9	29	33	35.9	146.9
Average attendance	20.6	26.6	26.3	31	33.1	137.6
Per cent. of attendance....	97	93.1	90.7	94	92.1	93.7
Completing grammar course	22					22
Days of school	184½	183½	183	183	186½	920.5
Cases of tardiness.....	26	83	17	66	65	257
Number of dismissals	16	5	4	24	27	76
Cases of truancy	..	2	..	1	..	3

JACKMAN SCHOOL.

	9	8	Ung.	7	6-E	6-F	5-D	5-C	Total
Number enrolled.....	57	47	58	54	41	45	40	38	380
Over 15 years.....	5	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	10
Between 7 and 14	28	36	47	52	39	42	39	38	321
Average membership	57.7	42.5	56.0	49.7	38.3	39.0	38.0	37.4	354.6
Average attendance.....	50.5	39.2	52.0	46.3	33.3	35.0	34.0	35.0	325.3
Per cent of attendance.....	94.0	92.4	93.0	92.9	87.1	90.0	89.0	93.0	91.7
Completed grammar course....	54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	54
Days of school.....	180 1-2	181 1-2	181 1-2	185 1-2	181 1-2	181 1-2	181 1-2	181 1-2	1455
Tardinesses	126	206	147	36	137	125	86	92	955
Dismissals	49	44	72	21	111	130	33	49	509
Cases of truancy	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	3
Non-resident pupils.....	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1

KELLEY SCHOOL.

	9	8	7	6	5	Total
Whole number enrolled....	50	50	37	58	44	239
Number over 15 years....	16	6	1	..	..	23
Between 7 and 14 years....	24	36	39	58	43	200
Average membership	48	47.6	35	38	39.7	208.3
Average attendance	46	44.7	32.9	36.9	36.3	196.8
Per cent. of attendance....	95.8	93.7	93.5	97	90.2	94.4
Completing grammar course	47					47
Days of school	183	183	183	183	183	915
Cases of tardiness.....	134	95	51	45	74	399
Number of dismissals	28	40	40	18	17	143
Non-resident pupils	9	3	..	..	..	12

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BROMFIELD STREET SCHOOL.

	4	3	2	1	Total
Whole number enrolled	38	47	29	51	165
Between 7 and 14 years of age.....	36	47	18	12	113
Average membership.....	37.8	39.8	28.4	33.8	139.8
Average attendance	32.4	31.7	25.5	29.7	119.3
Per cent. of attendance	85.7	79.6	90	87.8	85.3
Days of school	186½	184½	185	184½	740.5
Cases of tardiness	128	115	106	93	442
Number of dismissals	73	39	17	44	173
Cases of truancy	6	2	..	..	8

CURTIS SCHOOL.

	4	3	2	1	Total
Whole number enrolled	31	33	39	25	128
Between 7 and 14 years of age.....	31	32	33	2	98
Average membership	30.6	29.5	35.8	25.4	121.3
Average attendance	29	27.9	33.8	22.6	113.3
Per cent. of attendance.....	95.3	94.5	93.2	88.6	92.5
Days of school	186	186	186	186	744
Cases of tardiness	49	56	71	25	201
Number of dismissals	25	10	21	21	77
Cases of truancy	..	4	..	..	4

DAVENPORT SCHOOL.

	4	3	2	1	Total
Whole number enrolled	24	33	38	49	144
Between 7 and 14 years of age.....	24	33	24	27	108
Average membership	24.5	31.7	34.1	39	129.3
Average attendance	22.9	29.8	31.4	36	120.1
Per cent. of attendance	93.6	93.9	92	91.7	92.8
Days of school	187	187	187	187	748
Cases of tardiness	29	14	45	76	164
Number of dismissals	8	16	19	28	71
Cases of truancy	12	16	20	..	48

JOHNSON STREET.

	4	3	2	1	Total
Whole number enrolled	25	35	27	43	130
Between 7 and 14 years of age.....	25	35	10	3	73
Average membership	23.7	32.4	25.9	33.5	115.5
Average attendance	21.1	29.1	24	30.3	104.5
Per cent. of attendance.....	89	89	92	90	90.4
Days of school	178	177½	183	183	721.5
Cases of tardiness	67	90	65	62	284
Number of dismissals	23	72	17	14	126
Cases of truancy	3	..	3	1	7
Non-resident pupils	1	2	2	..	5

PURCHASE STREET SCHOOL.

Grade 1

Whole number enrolled	28
Between 7 and 14 years of age	16
Average membership	26
Average attendance	20
Per cent. of attendance	77
Days of school	170.5
Cases of tardiness	120
Number of dismissals	11

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TEMPLE STREET SCHOOL.

	3 and 4	1 and 2	Total
Whole number enrolled	47	57	104
Between 7 and 14 years of age.....	47	16	63
Average membership	40	43.2	83.2
Average attendance	38	41	79
Per cent. of attendance.....	94	95	94.9
Days of school	187	187	374
Cases of tardiness	23	6	29
Number of dismissals.....	34	1	35

TRAINING SCHOOL.

	4	3	2	1	Total
Whole number enrolled	35	29	32	40	136
Between 7 and 14 years of age....	34	28	14	11	87
Average membership	30.1	25.8	28.2	36.8	120.9
Average attendance	27.9	24.1	26	33.7	111.7
Per cent. of attendance	92	94	92	90	92.3
Days of school	182½	182½	182	182	729
Cases of tardiness	131	147	191	194	663
Number of dismissals	39	5	12	19	75
Cases of truancy	4	1	16	6	27

MOULTONVILLE SCHOOL.

	5 to 9	1 to 4	Total
Whole number enrolled	27	18	45
Over 15 years of age	2	..	2
Between 7 and 14 years of age	20	15	35
Average membership	23.8	17.2	41
Average attendance	22.3	14.8	37.1
Per cent. of attendance.....	93	86	90.5
Completing grammar course.....	2	..	2
Days of school	181½	168½	368
Cases of tardiness	24	23	47
Number of dismissals	19	5	24
Cases of truancy	..	1	1
Non-resident pupils	3	2	5

STOREY AVENUE SCHOOL.

Grades 1 to 9

Whole number enrolled	30
Over 15 years of age	1
Between 7 and 14 years of age	21
Average membership	26.6
Average attendance	24.5
Per cent. of attendance	92.1
Completing the grammar course	3
Days of school	186
Cases of tardiness	182
Number of dismissals	98
Number of non-resident pupils	4

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WARD ROOM SCHOOL.

Grade 6

Whole number enrolled	22
Between 7 and 14 years of age	22
Average membership	19.5
Average attendance	18.7
Per cent. of attendance	95.5
Days of school	184
Cases of tardiness	47
Number of dismissals	21

SUMMARY.

Whole number enrolled	2143
Whole number under 5 years of age.....	5
Whole number over 15 years of age.....	357
Whole number between 7 and 14 years.....	1428
Average membership	1933.4
Average attendance	1789.8
Per cent. of attendance	92.6
Number completing the grammar course	128
Aggregate number of days of school.....	8440
Whole number of tardinesses	5615
Whole number of dismissals	2068
Number of cases of truancy	101
*Number of non-resident pupils	37

*Does not include pupils in the Putnam School.

REPORT OF THE TRUANT OFFICER

Gentlemen of the School Committee:

I present my annual report for the year ending June 30, 1910:

Number of schools visited	1587
Number of absences reported by teachers	1216
Number of parents or guardians notified	1174
Number of children absent on suspicion	143
Number of cases of truancy	104
Number of children returned to school from street	48
Number of factories visited	89
Number of certificates issued	44
Number of children employed contrary to law.....	19

I wish to thank Mr. Dixon for the shoes and clothing which he has given to needy children so that they were able to keep in school. May 28 I took one boy to the Essex County Training School at Lawrence for truancy. Since the boy has been at the school he has become a member of the school band, which most of you have had the pleasure of hearing.

I think when manual training is introduced into the schools it will have a good effect in keeping such boys at school. It will also help to keep in school those boys who lose their interest in school when they become nearly 14 years of age.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSHUA L. CHASE,

Truant Officer.

CENSUS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

Ward	1	2	3	4	5	6	Tls.
Public	396	208	268	221	216	420	1729
Parochial	4	87	100	63	177	29	460
French	26	56	14	5	15	1	117
Private	..	2	2	5	2	10	21
Neither at work nor at school...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
At work	..	8	3	1	4	..	16
Unable to attend	3	8	..	2	1	4	18
	429	369	387	297	415	464	2361

CENSUS OF 1909 AND 1910.

	1909	1910
Ward 1	424	429
Ward 2	396	369
Ward 3	389	387
Ward 4	284	297
Ward 5	440	415
Ward 6	459	464
	2392	2361

Loss, 31.

CENSUS BY WARDS—Between 7 and 14 Years.

	Boys	Girls	Total
Ward 1	138	146	284
Ward 2	132	133	265
Ward 3	168	142	310
Ward 4	90	102	192
Ward 5	154	146	300
Ward 6	150	181	331
	832	850	1682

CENSUS BY WARDS—Between 5 and 15 Years.

	Boys	Girls	Total
Ward 1	214	215	429
Ward 2	188	181	369
Ward 3	207	180	387
Ward 4	140	157	297
Ward 5	198	217	415
Ward 6	216	248	464
	1163	1198	2361

TRUANT OFFICER'S REPORT, 1910

	No. of schools visited	No. of absences reported by teacher	No. of parents or guardians notified	No. of children absent from school on suspicion	Truancies determined by investigation	Truants returned to school	No. children warned	No. of children returned to school from streets	Tardiness Investigated	No. of factories visited	No. of children placed under temporary arrest	No. of children placed on probation	No. of Certificates issued	Children found employed contrary to law	No. of employers notified
September, 1909	64	14	14	4	4	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	6	2	2
October, 1909	170	75	74	20	14	14	7	5	2	16	0	0	6	3	3
November, 1909	192	140	139	15	12	12	4	7	2	9	0	0	3	6	6
December, 1909	168	137	128	10	4	4	7	13	4	13	0	0	5	1	1
January, 1910	128	117	90	24	16	16	9	7	3	12	0	0	4	4	4
February, 1910	150	130	125	15	15	15	2	3	0	7	0	0	2	1	1
March, 1910	181	207	190	10	5	5	3	1	0	5	1	1	2	0	0
April, 1910	128	117	112	10	6	6	4	5	3	5	0	0	3	0	0
May, 1910	245	232	227	15	10	10	7	12	8	16	0	0	5	0	0
June, 1910	161	77	75	20	28	18	5	3	3	2	0	0	8	2	2
	1587	1246	1174	143	104	104	48	56	25	89	1	7	44	19	19

Respectfully submitted,

JOSHUA L. CHASE, Truant Officer.

EXPENSE ACCOUNT

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.

Edgar L. Willard, superintendent of schools.....	\$1700.00
Joshua L. Chase, truant officer	767.50
A. R. Andrews, typewriter supplies	1.95
Fred L. Atkinson, stamped envelopes	10.62
Library Bureau, cards and printing	4.25
McMillan Book Co., secretary's record book.....	8.50
News Publishing Co., printing.....	5.00
Sampson, Murdock Co., directory	2.00
Telephone Co., office telephone	34.28
Edgar L. Willard, cash expenses	12.16

\$2546.26

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

High School:

Walter E. Andrews	\$1600.00
Dana C. Wells	1196.00
Alonzo G. Hearne	480.00
Charles D. Montgomery	880.00
Marjorie S. Noyes	715.00
Ethel V. Z. Sullivan	658.49
Maude B. Randall	715.00
Helen D. Robinson	465.00
Alice E. Phillips	662.83
Hannah W. Pingree	613.00
Harriett Smith	600.00
J. Albert Brack	300.00
Lucy B. Morse	180.00

Substitutes:

Sally E. Batchelder	150.00
Vera Castelhun	2.17
Harold C. Faxon	80.00
Marion Legate	2.17
Eleanor J. Little	2.17
Lucy B. Morse	2.17
Ella B. Stevens	8.50

9312.50

Currier School:

Sarah B. Chute	996.66
Gertrude L. Barrett	515.00
Retta V. Marr	515.00
Clara J. Edgerly	506.66
Elizabeth M. Roaf	446.91

Substitutes:

Catherine C. Hunt, grade V.....	1.42
Cora O. Jaques, grade IX \$3.34, grade VI \$8.34.....	11.68
Bessie M. Safford, grade V.....	13.75
Ella B. Stevens, grade V.....	1.19

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Jackman School:

George W. Brown	\$1500.00
Mary A. Chesterman	382.50
Priscilla G. Craig	513.33
Abbie L. Frost	515.00
Josie W. Kimball	515.00
Ellen deS. Barrett	515.00
Florence Carleton	513.33
Lillian W. Greenleaf	431.67
Bessie E. Davis	515.00
Lelia E. Kimball	515.00

Substitutes:

Bessie M. Safford, grade VI	89.17
Ella B. Stevens, grades IX and VIII	301.67

6306.67

Kelley School:

Irving H. Johnson	\$1300.00
Nellie G. Stone	499.17
E. Josephine Coffin	506.67
Anna L. Whitmore	515.00
Emily F. Upton	515.00

Substitutes:

Cora O. Jaques, grade VII	8.33
Ella B. Stevens, grade VIII	22.00

3366.17

Bromfield Street School:

Tula M. Reed	\$497.50
Feroline L. Woods	447.50
Ella F. Robinson	397.50
Elizabeth Boardman	415.00

1757.50

Curtis School:

Frances L. Pettigrew	\$512.50
Clarissa E. Hathaway	415.00
Julia M. Hopkinson	105.00
Mary F. Whitmore	495.00

Substitutes:

Ella B. Stevens	90.00
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1617.50

Davenport School:

Mary E. O'Connell	\$496.71
Goldia S. McArthur	495.00
Marguerite L. Pritchard	447.50
Mary I. Fernald	365.00

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Johnson School:

Ruth W. Brown	\$442.50
Charlotte K. Dickens	495.00
Jenny P. Haskell	495.00
Julia J. Hubbard	495.00

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Purchase Street School:

Beulah Evans	365.00
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Temple Street School:

Mary A. Doyle	\$447.50
Anna L. Doyle	365.00

812.50

Training School:

Frances W. Richards	\$1000.00
Elizabeth Coffin	56.00
Julia M. Hopkinson	56.00
Helen E. Somerby	56.00
Bertha H. Welch	56.00
Effie G. Armstrong	22.00
Ethel M. Jackman	22.00
Nellie M. Roby	22.00
Marion H. Spalding	22.00
Ida E. Stratton	22.00

1334.00

Moultonville School:

Helen S. Merrill	\$600.00
Elizabeth A. Walsh	415.00

1015.00

Storey Avenue School:

Edith E. Davis	\$447.00
Substitutes:	
Catherine C. Hunt	7.50
Bessie M. Safford	15.84

470.34

Ward Room School:

Anne J. Dixon	\$433.33
Substitutes:	
Bessie M. Safford	16.05

439.38

Special Teachers:

Elizabeth C. Adams	\$600.00
Sarah A Chase	600.00
Mary A. Jones	35.00
Florence M. Murphy	600.00

1835.00

Evening School:

William P. Lunt	\$146.00
Jennie C. Brown	69.50
Alonzo G. Hearne	4.00
Catherine C. Hunt	48.50
Cora O. Jaques	62.50
Irving H. Johnson	3.00
Retta V. Marr	15.50
Edith M. Merrill	74.50
Gertrude E. Nelson	71.00
Flora Pettigrew	74.50
Elizabeth M. Roaf	12.00
C. Louise Woodbury	74.50

655.50

\$36,017.04

Janitors' Services:

Hiram T. Balch	\$342.80
James H. Brown	512.50
David A. Bushee	81.25
Michael T. Carey	602.50
Stephen W. Gale	410.18
Casper Kohlhaas	298.00
Dennis C. Lowell	412.20
Herbert Mutch	24.88

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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Charles W. Thurlow	470.00
Charles H. Tucker	8.94
Charles W. Weymouth	59.25

 \$3222.50

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Allyn & Bacon	\$ 90.42
American Book Co	298.24
American Express Co	15.37
Andrews, A. R	1.50
Andrews, W. E	10.72
Appleton, D. & Co	18.75
Atkinson, Fred L	10.62
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover	1.40
Babb, Edward E. & Co	617.82
Barnard, F. J. & Co	129.39
Barrett, B. W.	5.00
Boston Nickel Plating Co	4.80
Boston Regalia Co	5.75
Bradley Co., Milton	859.84
Chase, J. J. & H. J	2.20
Dickins, James	3.20
Doyle, J. W	2.00
Eagle Pencil Co	27.00
Educational Publishing Co	.94
Emery, L. C	.60
Esterbrook Steel Pen Co	27.80
Flint, W. B	3.05
Ginn & Co	449.34
Goldberger, Herman	5.40
Goodwin, D. A	60.11
Gorwaiz, John	5.75
Gould & Adams	10.79
Green, Henry J	13.80
Hale's Express Co	1.90
Hammett, J. L. Co	147.56
Heath, D. C. & Co	183.00
• Houghton, Mifflin & Co	105.22
Howe & French	88.57
Hughes, Samuel J	13.63
Ingalls' Garage	2.55
Jackson's Express Co	7.19
Johnson, Catherine F. & Co	2.30
Knott, L. E. Apparatus Co	31.38
Lemaire, H. J	1.25
Little, Brown & Co	27.00
Little, John M	50.29
Library Bureau	80.00
Lowell, Dennis C	.80
Merriam, Co. G. & C	32.40
Merrill, Paul A	.55
Morse, W. E	1.90
Murphy, Florence M	1.50
Newburyport Herald Co	31.63
News Publishing Co	59.80
Noyes, D. F	34.60
Parker, Rufus H	32.45
Pearson, George H	.45
People's Express Co	3.65

Perkins Lumber Co	2.00	
Perkins, F. A	1.24	
Pettingell-Andrews Co	7.40	
Pray & Co., H. W	34.95	
Remington Typewriter Co	205.00	
Russell, Albert & Sons	1.07	
Sanders, Percival K	7.42	
Sanitas Co	5.80	
Silver, Burdett & Co	255.99	
Simmons, Parker P	26.67	
Thompson, Brown & Co	85.40	
Thompson, C. W	8.69	
Thurlow, S. H. & Co	39.32	
Towle Manufacturing Co	2.00	
Townsend, C. O	.80	
Twomey, James	30.75	
Whitcomb & Barrows	2.78	
Wilson, A. P	12.12	
Winchester, C. F	72.63	
		\$4425.20

TRANSPORTATION.

Boardman, Elizabeth	1.10	
Chase, Joshua L	.90	
Citizens Electric St. Ry	148.50	
Dickins, Charlotte K	1.58	
Doyle, Anna L	1.65	
McArthur, Goldia S	.40	
Richards, Frances W	1.98	
Robinson, Ella F	1.65	
		\$157.76

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bryan, J. J	\$ 1.60	
Butler, Marianna	4.80	
Choate, L. S	4.00	
Chute, Sarah B	1.50	
Currier, Arthur C	10.13	
Davis, Frank E	5.00	
Essex County Truant School	26.00	
Gillett, Herbert A	5.36	
Hale, Edward A	.63	
Leighton, A. J	1.50	
Library Bureau	4.25	
Little, John M	3.68	
*Manser, George W	2.00	
Marden, A. P	8.00	
Newburyport Herald Co	23.25	
News Publishing Co	5.40	
Paton, A. H	16.50	
Perkins, F. A	6.14	
Perkins Lumber Co	4.05	
Sheehan, Catherine	1.42	
Swan, the Printer	12.00	
Thurlow, D. P	3.00	
Thurlow & Co., S. H	23.71	
Townsend, C. O	7.20	
Twomey, James	2.50	
Winchester, C. F	5.25	
		\$188.87

FUEL.

John H. Balch	\$2323.23	
Stephen P. Bray & Co	145.75	
John Collins	397.67	
William P. French	68.50	
Edward Perkins Lumber Co	14.00	
		\$2959.15

LIGHT.

Newburyport Gas & Electric Co	\$164.50
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BUILDINGS.

Repairs and alterations	\$5604.79
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RECAPITULATION.

	Appropriation	Expenditures	Overdrawn	Undrawn
Salaries	\$42,000.00	\$41,707.04	\$	\$292.96
Miscellaneous	4,005.63	4,858.59	852.96	
Fuel	3,000.00	2,959.15		40.85
Lighting	227.00	164.50		62.50
Buildings	5,310.00	5,604.79	294.79	
	\$54,542.63	\$55,294.07	\$1,147.75	\$396.31

Net overdraft, \$751.44.

Overdraft of the School Board (first two items), \$560.

ORGANIZATION

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR 1911

Hon. ROBERT E. BURKE, Mayor, Chair-
man, 49 High street

Vice - Chairman ARTHUR H. BERRY, 53
Bromfield street

WARD ONE

Term expires Residence

HORTON C. STEVENS...1911.....27 Bromfield

ARTHUR H. BERRY.....1912.....53 Bromfield

WARD TWO

ERNEST FOSS, Esq1911..... 53 High

PRENTISS H. REED.....1912.....55 Lime

WARD THREE

RALPH S. ELLIOTT..... 1911..... 6 Dalton

LAURENCE P. DODGE...1912.....20 Fruit

WARD FOUR

SAMUEL J. HUGHES.....1911..50 Washington

CHAS. F. JOHNSON.....1912..45 Washington

WARD FIVE

JOHN J. O'BRIEN.....1911.....12 Kent

ARTHUR H. WRIGHT.....1912.....220 High

WARD SIX

GEO. L. WHITMORE.....1911.....5 Chapel

EDWARD H. LITTLE.....1912...6 Toppan lane

SUB-COMMITTEES

HIGH SCHOOL—Arthur H. Wright, Ch.,
E. Foss, E. H. Little, P. H. Reed, C. F. Johnson.

GRAMMAR SCHOOLS—Samuel J. Hughes
Ch., L. P. Dodge, J. J. O'Brien, E. H. Little,
P. H. Reed

TRAINING AND PRIMARY SCHOOLS—
Horton C. Stevens, Ch., G. L. Whitmore, J. J.
O'Brien, R. S. Elliott, C. F. Johnson.

TEXTBOOKS AND SUPPLIES — Ernest
Foss, Ch., G. L. Whitmore, L. P. Dodge.

RULES AND REGULATIONS—Arthur H.
Berry, Ch., S. J. Hughes, E. H. Little.

EVENING SCHOOLS—Prentiss H. Reed
Ch., A. H. Wright, R. S. Elliott.

PRUDENTIAL COMMITTEE—Edward H.
Little, Ch., H. C. Stevens, C. F. Johnson.

SALARIES—Charles F. Johnson, Ch., A.
H. Wright, E. Foss.

JANITORS AND BUILDINGS—George L.
Whitmore, Ch., H. C. Stevens, R. S. Elliott.

MUSIC AND DRAWING—Ralph S. Elliott
Ch., P. H. Reed, J. J. O'Brien.

COOKING AND SEWING—Laurence P.
Dodge, Ch., G. L. Whitmore, H. C. Stevens.

MANUAL TRAINING—John J. O'Brien
Ch., E. Foss, S. J. Hughes.

ATHLETICS—Dr. T. R. Healy, Ch., L. P.
Dodge, S. J. Hughes, A. H. Wright, George
H. Hatch.

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